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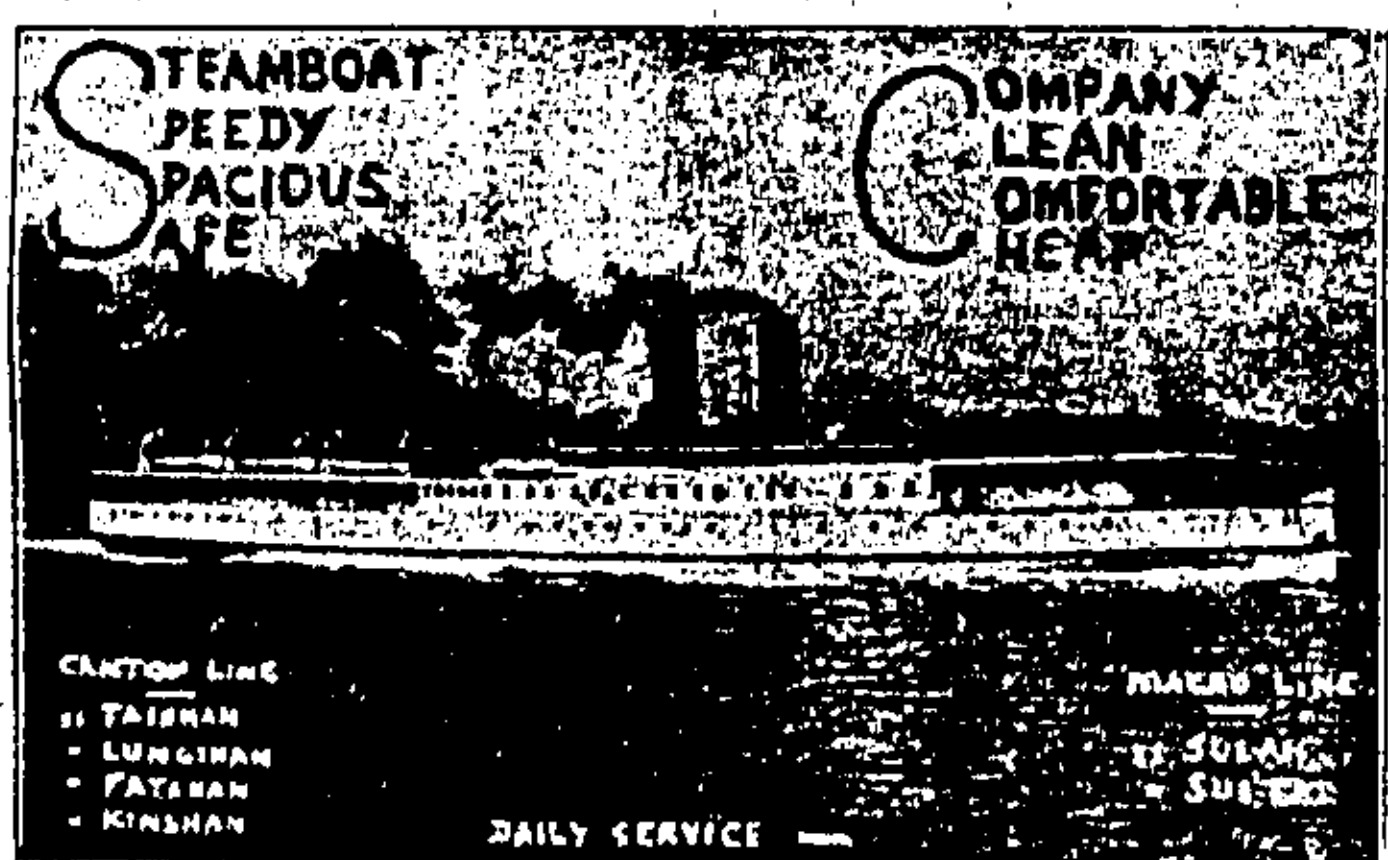


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## ROYAL NAVY New Rear-Admiral

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 18.  
Rear-Admiral B. H. Ramsay, M.V.O., who has been promoted to flag rank from May 9, has hitherto been in command of the Royal Sovereign. This battleship has returned from the Mediterranean for a long refit, which should be completed in time for her to be present at the Naval Review.

Rear-Admiral Ramsay is 52 and has had 37 years' service. He was a sub-lieutenant of the Hyacinth during the Somaliland War and was landed for the capture of Illig. As a lieutenant he specialized in signals, and he was one of the first officers to be appointed to the War Staff in 1913. In the War he was Flag Lieutenant-Commander to Vice-Admiral Sir Douglas Gambia; he commanded a monitor, M.25, on the Belgian coast; and was also in command of the flotilla-leader Broke in the Dover Patrol. When Lord Jellicoe made his tour of the Dominions in 1919 in H.M.S. New Zealand, Rear-Admiral Ramsay was his Flag Commander. His captain's commands since 1923 have included the cruisers Weymouth, Danae, and Kent, in the last named of which he was Flag Captain and Chief of Staff in China. He has also served on the staffs of the War and the Imperial Defence Colleges.

**CRUISER FOR CHINA STATION.**  
H.M.S. Dorsetshire, Captain A. J. L. Murray, D.S.O., O.B.E., is to leave Devonport to-day for the China Station. She has previously served in the Home Fleet and as flagship on the Africa Station, but is now going to China to replace the Cumberland, which has been withdrawn for large repairs. The programme of her voyage out is as follows:—Gibraltar, May 17-18; Malta, May 21-24; Port Said, May 27; Ismailia, May 27-30; Suez, May 30; Aden, June 3-5; Colombo, June 12-16; off Penang, June 20, and Singapore, June 21.

**NEW SLOOP IN NEW ZEALAND.**  
The new sloop Wellington, Commander J. B. E. Hall, arrives in New Zealand waters to-day, and, appropriately, her first port of call is to be Wellington. She will stay there until Friday, before going on to the base at Auckland. The Wellington replaces the War-built sloop Laburnum, which has become drill-ship of the Singapore Division of the R.N.V.R. She will make her first cruise from July 15 to September 21 among the Pacific Islands.

**COMMANDER L. C. LAWRENCE.**  
Lieut.-Commander L. C. Lawrence, who has been placed on the retired list with the rank of commander, is one of 48 officers who were commissioned as mates in December, 1917, of whom only five now remain on the active list, one of whom has reached the rank of commander (active). Commander Lawrence served in the battleship Malaya during the War, and afterwards in the fishery gunboat Ettrick, and the sloop Truro and Dundalk. He commanded the fishery gunboat Kennet in 1930-32, and in 1932-34 served in the submarine depotship Medway in China.

## SIR PHILIP SASSOON On Air Proposals

London, May, 28.

Summarising the Government's air proposals, the Under-Secretary for Air, Sir Philip Sassoon in a speech in London said that they would create between 1935-1938, 71 new squadrons instead of 22 as contemplated under the old expansion programme. The new situation was not without its bright side. If Germany was sincere and there was no reason to believe otherwise, there was once more some real hope for a Western Air Pact which Great Britain put forward last February. The Air Pact whereby the security of each of the air Powers in Western Europe would be guaranteed against aggression by other members of the pact, was the only hope of avoiding a race in air armaments with its inevitable conclusion—disastrous war. Collective security, however, which was the only security on which, in these days, any nation could safely rely, not only ruled out competitive armaments. It must be fully understood that the measures, now being taken were, in no sense, emergency measures. It did not represent the limits of efforts that could be made if occasion required. Nor did it involve any falling off in the high standards of material and personnel which at present characterised the Royal Air Force.

The Air Ministry would not let demands of military aviation interfere with the progress, in the development of the civil side of flying. The Imperial Airways, aimed at operating a two-day service to India, four or five times weekly; a 21 day service to East Africa, thrice weekly; a four-day service to Singapore, thrice weekly; a four-day service to Cape, twice weekly; and a 7-day service to Australia, twice weekly, to set a great advance represented by that schedule, was justified already by the growing commercial use of air transport alike for passenger, goods and mail. He had no doubt that the ideal which was aimed at would sooner or later be attained.

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### APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments were made by the Admiralty on Saturday:—

Surgn. Rear-Admiral—P. Pick, O.B.E., to Pembroke, for R.N. Hospital, Chatham (July 8), and as Medical Officer in Charge (July 15).  
Surgn. Cdr.—W. H. Murray, to President, for course (May 27).  
Payr. Cdrs.—R. H. G. Franklin, to Vernon (June 10); and H. J. Kirkby, to Bee (June 11).  
Lt. (Emergency List)—W. H. Hills, name replaced on Emergency List (with original seny. of Aug. 1, 1929).  
Surgn. Lt.—W. S. Davidson, short service engagement terminated (April 10).

## DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

THURSDAY, MAY 30.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Ascension Day, Holy Thursday, Decoration Day, U.S.A.

### Cinemas

King's:—"The Silver Streak."  
Queen's:—"Naughty Marietta."  
Central:—"Chinese Picture."  
Oriental:—"What Every Woman Knows."  
World:—"Chinese Picture."  
Alhambra:—"Smart Money."  
Majestic:—"Gift Of Gab."  
Star:—"The Flying Squad."

Entertainments.—Cheero Club Concert, 8.30 p.m.  
Lectures.—Theosophical Society, Hong Kong Club Annex, 6 p.m.  
Meetings.—Monthly, Hong Kong Philatelic Society, "S. C. M. Post" Board Room, 5.30 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club Discussion, 9 p.m.; Annual, Hong Kong Polo Club, Messrs. Jardine Matheson's Board Room, 5.30 p.m.; Annual, Peak Church, Cathedral Hall, 5.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Claims against the Estate of William MacDonald, Retired Chinese Maritime Customs Officer, due: Women's Fellowship, St. Andrew's Hall, 3 p.m.

Rehearsals.—Hong Kong Singers, Union Church Hall, Kennedy Road, 5.30 p.m. "Best Pair of Sirens" (Parry).

Religious.—United Service, St. John's Cathedral, 7.30 p.m.  
Social.—Whist Drive, Civil Service Cricket Club, 8.45 p.m.

### Sports

Bowls.—Open Pairs, A. W. Grimmett and F. J. Jones v. L. F. Xavier and F. N. N. Ribeiro (Kowloon Docks).

Tennis.—"C" Division, South China v. Kowloon Indians; Army T. C. v. Kowloon C.C.; Club de Recreio v. Indian R.C.; Central British Association v. University; Craigengower C.C. v. Chinese R.C. Moon.—IV Moon, 28th. Day.

Sunrise.—5.39 a.m. Sunset.—7.02 p.m.

Tides.—High at 7.23 and 21.08. Low at 0.53 and 14.30.

### FRIDAY, MAY 31.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Union Day (Union of S. Africa). Feast of Our Lady Queen of Apostles.

### Cinemas

King's:—"Roberta."  
Queen's:—"Naughty Marietta."  
Central:—"Chinese Picture."  
Oriental:—"While New York Sleeps."  
World:—"Chinese Picture."  
Alhambra:—"The 13th Guest."  
Majestic:—"Gift Of Gab."  
Star:—"Bright Eyes."  
Lectures.—Rev. F. N. Chamberlain, Christian Fellowship, Helena May.

Meetings.—Creditors, On Hing Co., Ltd., 10 Hing Lung Street, 2 p.m.; V.D.M.A. Committee, 9 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Claims against Messrs. Tan Kah Kee and Co., Ltd., due.  
Social.—Whist Drive and Tombola 8.45 p.m. H.Q. R.A., Sergeant's Mess, Murray Path, Queen's Road, Mill Drive on H.M.S. Tamar, 8.45 p.m.



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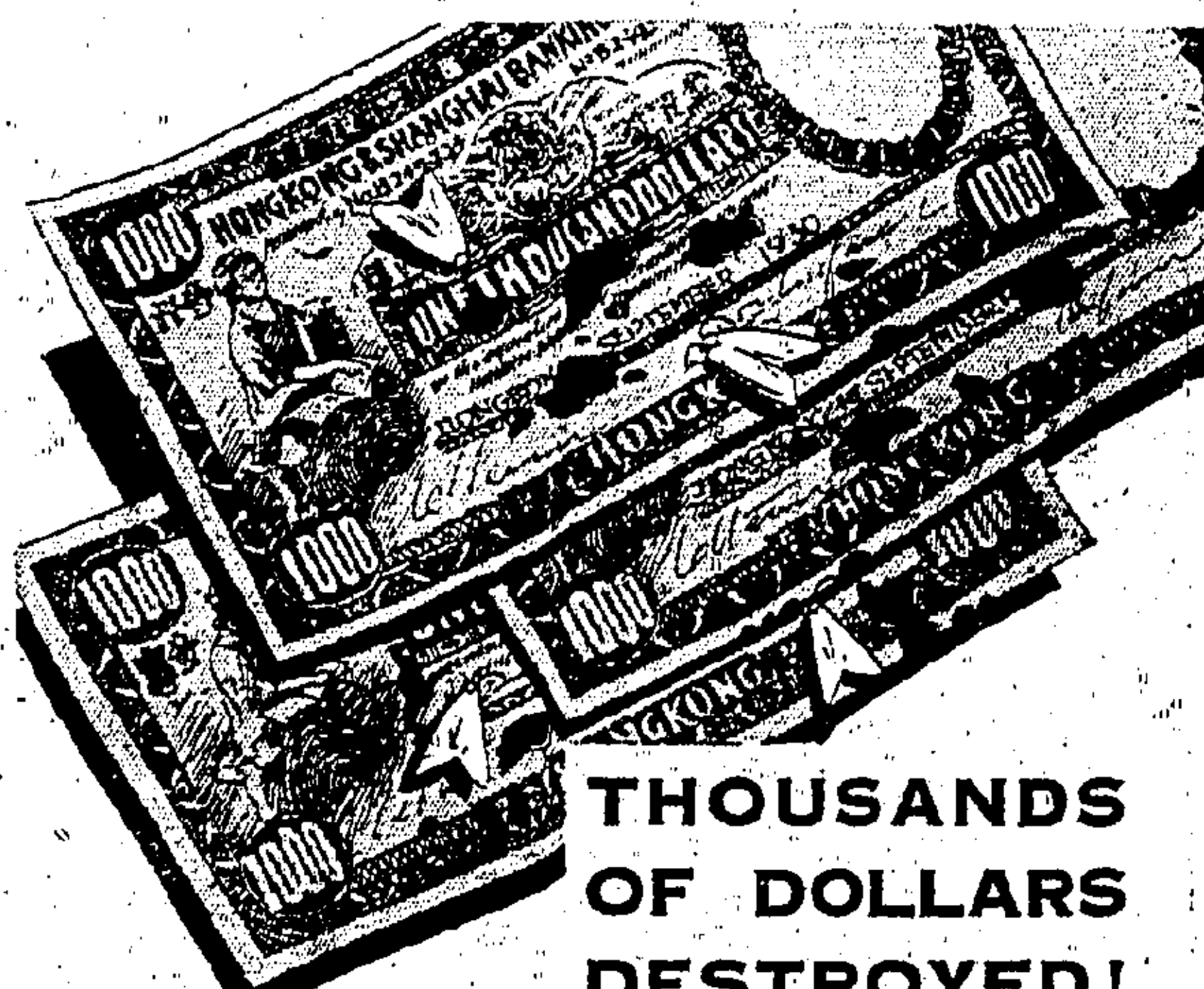
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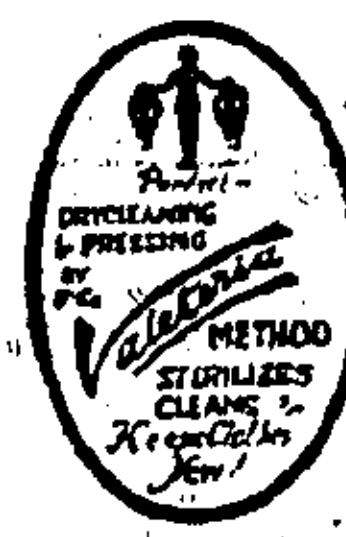
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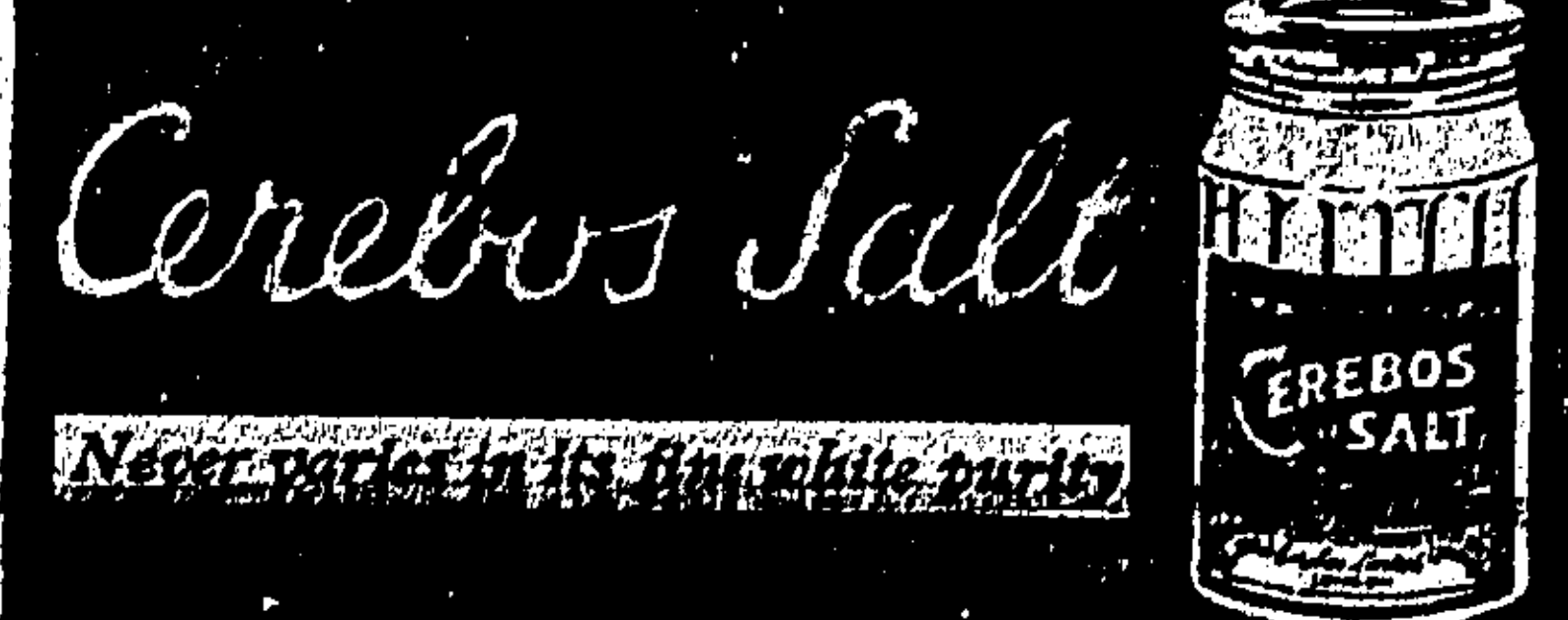
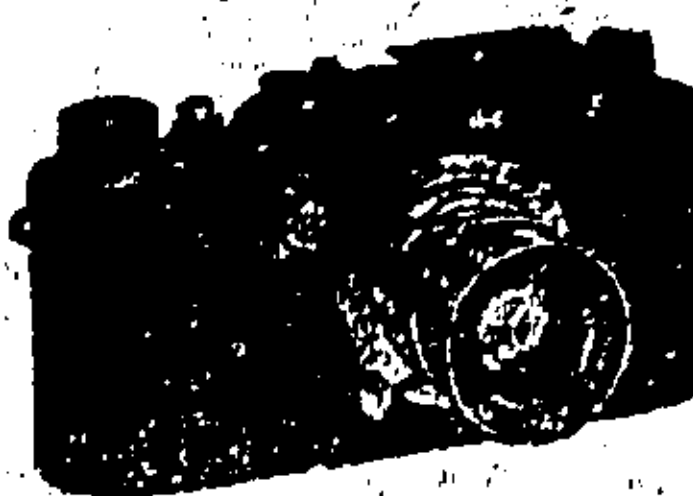
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## AIR THRILLS

In Navy Week

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
Navy Week in this Silver Jubilee Year will provide the best sea display ever arranged by the Admiralty for the people of the British Isles.

It will be held simultaneously at Chatham, Portsmouth and Plymouth from August 3 to August 10, excluding, of course, Sunday, August 4.

During these seven days officers and men will become hosts and actors.

Many more ships will be open to the public than ever before, because the Reserve Fleet will be partially mobilised for the Jubilee Review. Some of the latest battleships and aircraft carriers, cruisers and submarines will be open for inspection for the first time.

### FULL-SPEED THRILL

The activities and development of the Fleet Air Arm will be given special prominence, and one of the most dramatic displays will feature the Navy repelling an attack by "enemy" aircraft.

Defending machines will be catapulted from the decks of battleships and cruisers steaming at full speed.

They will soar after the enemy planes, which will be seen diving low upon the ships to drop arm-piercing bombs.

At Portsmouth each day's display will close with a grand finale aboard H.M.S. Victory.

The actual tactics of British and German fleets at the battle of Jutland will be demonstrated and explained, and there will be a scale-model record of the Jubilee Review at Spithead.

At Plymouth the battleship Queen Elizabeth, which fought at the Dardanelles and was Earl Beatty's flagship during the latter months of the war, will be on view.

At Chatham the cruising formations and functions of the Fleet at sea will be demonstrated with scale models.

A most realistic representation of Sir Roger Keyes's attack on Zeebrugge on St. George's Day, 1918, will be given.

In addition, at all three ports the most popular features of previous years will be repeated—submarine diving, destroyers firing torpedoes and turret guns in action.

## NORMANDIE'S SPEED

Expected To Do More  
Than 30 Knots

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
A speed of 30 knots will easily be reached by France's great new liner Normandie in her official trials, according to the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique, which bases the forecast on the ship's performance in her preliminary speed trials.

Press reports say that she has already touched 30 knots.

The official trials precede her maiden voyage to New York, which will be made more auspicious by the presence on board of Mme. Lebrun, wife of the President of the French Republic, who, it is officially stated, is making the trip. She will be the first French President's wife to visit the United States and the White House. She is the great ship's godmother, for it was she who christened her in 1932.

### FASTER THAN BREMEN

It is expected that the speed of the Normandie will be about the same as that of the Italian liners, Rex and Conte di Savoia, and more than two knots faster than that of the crack German liners, Europa and Bremen.

It seems, however, that she may be beaten by the Queen Mary, for though the speed that Great Britain's ship is expected to reach has not been officially disclosed, it has been stated that it will be about 32 knots.

The Normandie took on 2658 tons of liquid fuel and 2000 tons of water in preparation for today's official tests.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
This is the twentieth anniversary of the sinking of the Lusitania. Three days after the sinking President Wilson, in a speech to 4000 naturalised Americans at Philadelphia, used the phrase "too proud to fight." For a long time his countrymen were not allowed to forget it.

Like many such utterances of public men, its meaning was distorted in the popular mind because it was quoted out of its context.

What the President actually said was: "There is such a thing as a man being too proud to fight. There is such a thing as being so right that it does not need to convince others by force that it is right."

"GRASS WILL GROW"  
Wilson was not the only American President to suffer from an oratorical phrase torn from its context.

From a thousand platforms at the last presidential election in the United States, Mr. Hoover was accused of predicting that the grass would grow in the streets of a hundred American cities if the Democratic party came into power. What he actually said, in Madison Square Garden in October, 1932, was that "the grass will grow in the streets of a hundred cities... if that protection (tariffs) be taken away."

### THE GOVERNMENT THE PEOPLE WANT

Sir J. Simon's Claim

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
Sir John Simon, the Foreign Secretary, last night addressed a meeting at Kilmarnock. The most remarkable thing about the British Constitution, he said, was the way in which, without violent or formal change, it adjusted itself to circumstances.

"There is an adjustment of the most remarkable character which has taken place in our political practice within the last four years. Who could have conceived four years ago that politicians, with as varied an origin, as, say, the Prime Minister and Mr. Baldwin and myself, would have found ourselves in the same Cabinet?"

"Yet it is perfectly evident—the by-elections show it—that the formation and continuance of the National Government commend themselves to the country and are recognised as the best way of meeting the present national need."

The reason why the National Government so largely retained public support was not merely because of its record, but because ordinary citizens, hardened politicians though they might be, instinctively felt that the problems

## JACK DEMPSEY

A Grand Old Man

New York, May 11.

If it's timeliness and vital facts you want in a sport story, then don't read this one, for it has neither. It concerns itself with several cups of cooling tea, which isn't very vital, and the days when Jack Dempsey, the old man himself, was training for the Sharkey fight, which isn't very timely.

The story was born in Madison Square Garden yesterday while a group of boxing writers sat around and listened to James Joy (Jack-Napes) Johnston put blast on everybody but Jimmy Braddock and his mother. Starting with Jim Figg, James Joy turned the ol' heater on everybody who ever lifted a glove in the art of self defense. Finally, wearied from his blasting, James ordered cooling all around.

It was while James was pouring that the conversation got around to Dempsey, funny, but you start talking boxing with a bunch of boxing folk and it always winds up on the old man. How he could hit or how he could take it or how he could do everything.

"Jack" said the fellow in the camel's hair, "was the meanest guy inside that ring I ever saw. I just don't mean in real fights, either. Even when he was working out he'd knock his grandma stiff if she stepped in there with a pair of gloves on."

"You're telling the truth?" Joe said as he helped himself to two lumps. "I'll never forget that day down in Hendersonville when Jack was training for Sharkey. We're sitting on the porch telling lies one afternoon when a great big country boy—he must have weighed 220—came trudging up the walk, swinging one of those wicker snuff-cases.

### NEVER BOXED BEFORE

"I wanta see Mister Dempsey," he said.

"We called Jack and the plover said he wanted to work out—do a little sparring."

"Ever boxed before?" asked Dempsey.

"Naw, but I just graduated from Billy Forest's correspondence school, and he wrote me a letter saying I was ready to work out with anybody, and to call on you."

"So Jack said okay, and told him to come on out in the ring. The fellow pulled off his pants and underneath was the finest pair of Sears-Roebuck trunks you ever saw. Name down the side and everything. He reached in his bag and started yanking out those pulley things you build muscle on, and a pair of those squeezers you use to strengthen your wrists."

When he climbed in the ring he unfurled his diploma from De Forest's school—a big parchment thing that Billy had cooked up.

"Soon as he threw up his fists you knew he didn't know his head from first base. Jack let him paw around a bit and then shuffled in and laid a right square on his button. As he collapsed Jack caught him and asked:

"Are you okay, kid?"

"STILL ALL RIGHT?"

"Somehow the body managed to grunt a feeble 'Yes,' so Jack stepped back and threw a hook that went a foot in the boy's belly. As he pulled his fist out Jack, very solicitously, asked:

"Still all right?"

"This time the chump was silly enough to nod feebly so Dempsey threw one from way back here and laid him out in the second row ringside.

This reminded someone of the day the sportswriter, assigned by his editor to write a story on how it felt to be knocked out by Dempsey, got in there with Jack.

He went in with the understanding he was just to be tapped gently.

But when the bell rang Jack Kearns leaned over the ropes and said:

"Pull up your socks, Jack, and let this guy have it. We don't know who he is."

Neither did the sportswriter for a couple of hours.

of the time needed to be tackled in a way that transcended party. It was the same feeling which governed the national attitude towards foreign affairs, which never pressed more largely upon our attention than now.

We were united in regarding the preservation of peace as the most pressing object of all our policy. There was readiness to welcome the equality of all the States, and firm determination to resist the domination of any. The failure to secure by international agreement the reduction of armaments was everywhere deplored, but unilateral disarmament was realised to be no contribution to peace.

## Nourse Puts South Africans In Sound Position

STAND WITH CAMERON CHECKS  
SURREY BOWLERS

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
London fell in love with the South Africans on Saturday. Playing for the first time in town, they won the toss under a blue sky at the Oval, and scored 367 in a fashion delightfully in keeping with the glittering warmth that blessed us the whole day long.

The crowd of 10,000, being mainly a Kennington crowd, then had the satisfaction of seeing Surrey make 42 for none before the close.

The African runs were aggressively hit, not negatively compiled; for they averaged over 70 an hour. During one period, that of the pre-lunch hour and for 30 minutes afterwards, the speed was accelerated so splendidly that 139 came from Nourse and Cameron in a fourth wicket stand—is "stand" the fitting word?—that kept the applause rippling and echoing without end.

For once in a way Cameron was outdone by his young partner. Not that his graceful, cultivated style had lost any of its veneer, but Nourse, whose name admirably suggests his nature when he is at the crease, braced everybody with batting of the most bluff and hearty kind.

### NOURSE'S 21 BOUNDARIES

This son of a famous sire made 147—the third century of the South African campaign, and, according to witnesses of those by Wade and Rowan, easily the finest. Nourse took his runs in two hours 40 minutes off 182 deliveries, none of which caused him the least difficulty, and he included 21 boundaries through strokes which invariably meant an exceptional concentration of giant's wrist-play, bodily energy, and daring footwork.

He scored all round the wicket, but his cuts and late-cuts remain in the memory most vividly. He has now made 337 in four innings—average 84; what an auspicious start!

### THREE CHEAP WICKETS

It must not be inferred though, that Nourse went out to bat at a moment of ease, when his predecessors had paved the way to run-getting. The scoreboard had quite another tale to tell. Three wickets were down for only 49, and if a chance offered by Cameron as soon as he followed Nourse in had been accepted at short leg the Surrey bowlers might have needed no other encouragement to dominate the innings.

Wade, Rowan (for a "duck" after making round about the same number of runs as Nourse in the same number of knocks), and Siedle, champions all, were beaten by the swinging pace of Holmes and Gover and by Fender's spin at 22, 23, and 49. Rowan, I gather, was also, beaten by the pavilion's gloom behind Gover. A serious matter, these three set-backs: but Nourse and Cameron quickly made the sweet morning their own, and at lunch they were 139 for three. Nourse

had reached fifty in 55 minutes, and Cameron passed the half-century in twenty minutes' longer time. Then he unluckily pulled Fender into his stumps.

### 90 RUNS IN AN HOUR

During their two spells together before and after lunch 90 runs were hit in an hour and then 49 in half-an-hour. At their magic touch the old ground, not so dingy this season with its red-roofed, recently-built houses and white, sweeping boundary-boards, became a place of golden plunder in spite of unwearied bowling and praiseworthy fielding.

When Nourse was out at last, sixth wicket down from a slip catch off Gover's fast-riding ball, the South African total was 261, and the clocks said ten minutes to four. But Surrey's attack, in which the well-contrasted parts played by Gover and Fender were the most valuable—although Squires took two late wickets for 0 in one over—had not yet won its rest, for Tomlinson and Langton, cracked it merrily for 75 in three-quarters of an hour. Just previously, although Dalton followed Cameron with a failure, Nourse and Viljoen had put on 62 in 40 minutes, half-an-hour of this patch giving Nourse 48 to Viljoen's 51.

The audacity of it all was thrilling. If these South Africans go on flashing the old lance of chivalry across the English green-swards as brightly as they did in Saturday's clash with Surrey—and every man who has come over is fit to do it—what an uplifting midsummer awaits our cricket!

### SOUTH AFRICANS

H. F. Wade, b Holmes	3
I. J. Siedle, b Fender	31
E. A. Rowan, b Gover	0
A. D. Nourse, c Holmes, b Gover	147
H. B. Cameron, b Fender	58
E. L. Dalton, b Gregory	2
K. G. Biljoen, lbw, b Fender	27
D. Tomlinson, c Brooks, b Squires	43
A. B. Langton, not out	40
R. J. Crisp, b Squires	0
A. J. Bell, b Gover	3
B 4, 1-b 7, n-b 2	13
Total	367

### SURREY

Sandham, not out	30
Gregory, not out	11
L-b	1
Total (no wkt.)	42

Squires, Barling, E. R. T. Holmes, Fishlock, P. G. H. Fender, H. M. Garland-Wells, Watts, Brooks and Gover to bat.

### SOUTH AFRICANS—First Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Gover	26.5	2	110	3
Watts	12	2	48	0
Holmes	15	5	46	1
Fender	22	2	99	3
Garland-Wells	4	0	18	0
Gregory	16	5	33	1
Squires	1	1	0	2
Gover bowled two no-balls.				

## TEST SELECTION COMMITTEE

Some Disappointment

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
Disappointment is being expressed in some quarters over the new Test selectors chosen by the Board of Control.

They are Mr. P. F. (Plum) Warner, and Mr. P. A. Ferrin and Mr. T. A. Higson, who both served on the old committee. Warner is the new chairman and takes the place of Sir Stanley Jackson, who recently announced that he would not be available to serve owing to business claims.

Hitherto, selectors have been chosen annually, but, as was expected, the new committee will serve for two years in order to build up a team for Australia as well as select the Test teams for this summer's matches against the South Africans.

While satisfaction is evident at the selection of Plum Warner as chairman, it is clear that some quarters would have preferred a clean sweep in the composition of the selectors.

"Give youth a chance," has been the cry, but it has gone unheeded, for the ages of the new selectors total 173 years—Higson and Warner being the oldest, aged 62.

Again, the opinion had been expressed that perhaps a professional might have been selected as a full-fledged member, and not a "co-opted" as has been the case in former years.

But apart from these small criticisms there is a feeling of confidence in the committee.

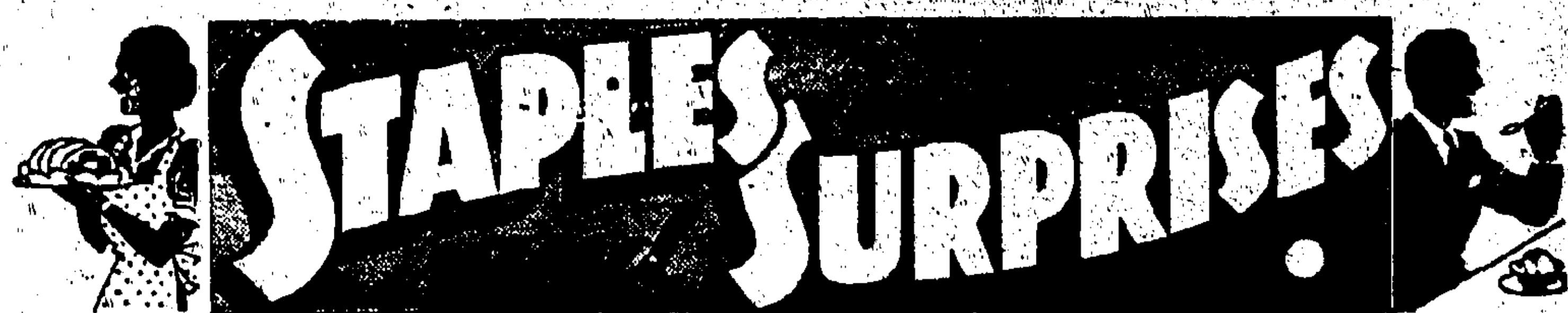
### Taking Precautions

A man who owned a dilapidated motor-car took it to a garage for the night, and was shocked when the proprietor told him the fee would be a pound.

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## SOUPS WITHOUT STOCK

## GOOD WAYS

## Give Them Beans

It is a mistake to think tasty and nourishing soups cannot be made without boiling down meat and bones for long hours beforehand.

Here are some recipes in which stock is not needed:

## CHEESE SOUP

Fry a small finely-chopped onion in an ounce of butter without browning it, then add a pint of milk and a pint of water. When this is nearly boiling stir in two slightly beaten eggs, 2oz. of grated cheese and season with salt and pepper. The soup must not boil after the eggs have been added.

## MUSHROOM SOUP

Peel 1lb. of mushrooms and cut them up. Slice an onion and put this with the mushrooms into a pint of water, seasoning with salt and pepper. Simmer slowly for half an hour, then rub the mushrooms through a sieve, strain the onion from the water into which you now put back the mushroom puree. Thicken with flour and butter, making a roux with a little of the soup liquor, stir in the rest of the soup, and enrich if you like with some cream just before serving.

## PARISIAN RICE SOUP

Cut up four leeks, into thin rings and fry them lightly in a little butter on a slow fire. Add three pints of warm water, a pound of thinly-sliced potatoes and a seasoning of salt and pepper. Cook together for a good half-hour and twenty minutes, before you want to serve the soup add a handful of rice, and at the last moment put in a spoonful of cream off the top of the milk for each person.

## LYONNAISE RICE SOUP

This is a variation of onion soup which is so good for you in cold weather. Cut some onions in thin slices and fry them in a

little lard stirring them now and again so that they colour evenly. When they are a light gold, but not at all brown, moisten with enough hot water for you soup, allowing for reduction of about a third in the cooking. Bring to the boil and boil for a quarter of an hour. Then add a good tablespoonful of rice for each person and go on cooking for about another twenty-five minutes.

## SPINACH SOUP

Take three good handfuls of prepared spinach (that is, spinach leaves which have been stripped from the stems and well washed) and cook it in a saucepan on a very slow fire with a small piece of butter until the spinach "melts." Then chop it finely, add some hot water, allowing for reduction, simmer for half an hour and then add a break-fastful of milk. Boil again until the soup is reduced by about a third, season well and bind with milk or cream and egg-yolk.

The proper thing to make this with is olive oil, but if you dislike the flavour, butter might be used instead, but it is not the same thing. Nor should you omit the garlic if you can help it. Fry lightly the white part of two leeks cut in slices in a little olive oil, sprinkle with a little flour and moisten with a cup of water. Bring to the boil, add five or six tomatoes cut in quarters, stick of celery (or celery salt), salt, pepper, a pinch of sugar, a bouquet of parsley, thyme and bayleaf, and a bruised clove of garlic. Boil again, add a quart of water, simmer with the lid on for half an hour. Remove the bouquet, garlic and tomato skins, and serve with croutons of fried bread. If you prefer you can add a handful of rice twenty minutes before the soup is wanted, but in that case do not serve the croutons.

## To Cook Chicken

However chicken is served—boiled, braised, creamed, roasted, in soup, or dressed up in epicurean fashion—it is always a popular dish. The foundation for innumerable fancifully named dishes is, after all, only chicken cooked in the regular way with variations. But it is these variations that make all the difference.

Choose only the choicest poultry. Those with soft feet, which are very smooth, and a flexible breast-bone are the best. Add a pinch of baking soda in the water when the fowl is washed, for this will make the meat tender, as well as improve the flavour. The juice of a lemon has the same effect.

When roasting capons, heavy fowl, or turkeys, wring a clean piece of muslin out of cold water and cover the fowl closely when it is first put in the oven. When basting, pour the liquid on the cloth and let it soak through. When the time comes to brown the fowl, remove the cloth.

## ROYAL CHICKENS SOUP

Cook two sticks of celery and two large onions, cut up, in two tablespoonfuls of butter. Add thyme, parsley, one bay leaf, two quarts of water, and one chicken that has been cut into pieces. Simmer slowly for four hours. Remove the chicken, dice the meat of the breast and wings. (The dark meat may be used for croquettes.) The chop together twelve blanched almonds, the yolks of two hard-boiled eggs and a slice of bread soaked in milk. Pound these together with the meat and press through a sieve. Then add this mixture to the strained liquid in which the chicken was cooked, together with one cupful of boiling hot cream. Season to taste with salt, pepper and a little mace. Serve hot.

## CHICKEN BROTH

Cut a fowl into quarters. Place it in a pan filled with water to which salt and lemon juice have been added. Soak for an hour. Put four quarts of cold water into a soup, kettle and add a small onion. Bring slowly to the boil and keep boiling until the fowl is thoroughly cooked and the liquid diminished one-third. Take out the chicken, sprinkle with salt, and set it aside with one cupful of broth. Season the rest of the broth and set it back over the fire. When it has boiled, skim and add three-fourths of a small cupful of well-washed rice that has been previously soaked in water. Simmer slowly until the rice is tender. Stir one cupful of hot milk into two well-beaten eggs, then add these to the broth. Let it all come barely to the boiling point. Add a handful of chopped parsley and pour into a tureen. Serve at once.

## POULARDE WASHINGTON

A delicious and unusual stuffing for a baked chicken is made of sweet corn. Select a large capon and prepare it for baking. Use one dozen ears of fresh young green corn or, if these are not obtainable, use one tin of corn. Cook the corn in a little cream sauce, season with salt, pepper and melted butter. Stuff the capon or chicken with the corn mixture and roast in the oven with butter. When cooked, place on a hot platter. Stir into the pan a little beef extract, half a pint of thick cream, and a little cooking sherry. Serve this sauce separately.

## HUNGARIAN STEWED CHICKEN

Prepare a fat fowl as for roasting; fill it with a dressing of bread-crumbs, herbs, one finely chopped onion and the yolk of an egg. Tie the breast with slices of lemon and salt pork, then wrap in oiled paper. To one quart of white stock, add one minced onion, some parsley and one whole clove. Pour this over the fowl and cook together in a covered pot for an hour, or until the fowl is tender. Strain the sauce, add one cupful of hot cream, some butter, a dash of paprika, chopped parsley and the yolk of one egg. Pour round the chicken and serve with rice.

Butter beans are a favourite dish in large families, and here are some of the ways in which to cook them.

Soak the beans for eight hours, then cover with boiling water and cook slowly for 20 minutes. Then add salt to flavour and cook about ten minutes more, or until tender.

## AU GRATIN

Have ready a pint and a half of cooked beans, half a pint of white sauce, a gill and a half of grated cheese, some breadcrumbs and salt and mustard. Make layers in a fire-proof dish of beans, sauce and cheese, season well and finish with buttered crumbs. Bake in a moderate oven for 20 minutes.

## Vegetable Hash

Have ready half a pint of cooked beans, a pint of chopped cooked potatoes and half a pint of chopped cooked carrots. Chop two onions. Melt four tablespoonfuls of bacon fat in a wide thick frying-pan, mix the vegetables together well with salt and pepper and spread the mixture evenly over the pan. Cover and cook very slowly until well browned underneath. Then fold over like an omelette and serve. Poached or fried eggs can be placed on top.

## WITH SAUSAGE

Take half a pound of sausage meat and a finely-chopped onion and fry together until brown. Add half a pint of cooked beans, half a pint of stewed tomatoes, half a pint of pepper, and simmer for half an hour.

## WITH BEEF

Cut two pounds of stewing beef into small pieces and make layers in a fireproof dish with cooked beans (about a pint and a half of beans). Season, cover with water or stock and cook in a slow oven as long as you like. Onion, tomato or celery can be added if liked.

## WITH HAM

Take about two pounds of ham at the hock joint and boil until nearly tender. Add three break-fastfuls of cooked beans and cook in a fire-proof dish in a slow oven until quite tender.

## FISH SOUP

fish weighing about 2 lbs.  
1 large onion  
Soup greens (Carrots, parsley and celery)  
1 green pepper  
5 mushrooms  
1 can tomato juice  
1 tbsp. butter  
1 tsp. flour

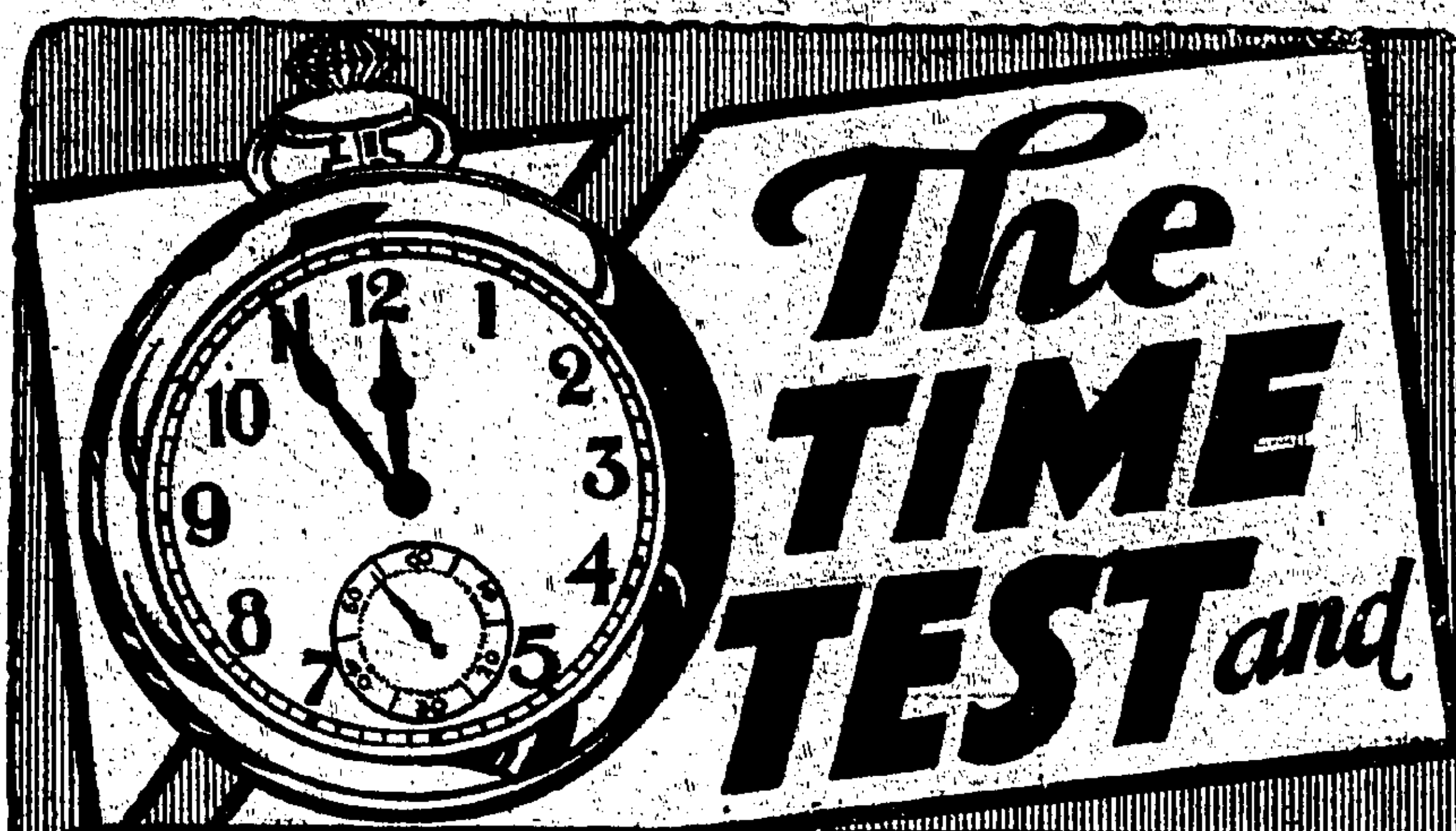
Cut fish in large pieces and boil in water with soup greens and bay leaf until the fish falls from the bones. Strain stock. Cut up about one-third of the fish in very small pieces (the remaining fish may be used next day). Put fish and strained stock together, add chopped green pepper, cut-up mushrooms and tomato juice. Brown butter and flour together and add to the soup.

## FROZEN SALMON AND RICE LOAF

2 cups cold cooked rice  
1 1/2 cups canned red salmon  
drained and flaked  
1 tsp. salt  
1 cup cooked peas  
1 tsp. paprika  
1 tbsp. lemon juice  
1 cup mayonnaise  
Combine the ingredients in the order given. Freeze in the tray of the automatic refrigerator for 2 hours. Unmold on crisp lettuce. Garnish with lemon slices and additional mayonnaise.

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## FRESH FRUIT SALADS

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Fruit salads are, perhaps, more interesting than just plain fruit, and here are some ways of preparing them.

The first is blended with vegetables and nuts. Use three or four plantains, a tablespoonful of washed and dried seedless raisins, a tablespoonful of chopped walnuts, some crisp lettuce leaves, half a small onion finely grated, and half a teaspoonful of chopped parsley. Wash and dry the lettuce, and arrange on individual small dishes. Slice the plantains, put them into a basin and mix in the raisins. Mix the grated shallot with a grill of thick mayonnaise sauce, and stir into the banana mixture. Divide between the individual dishes, and sprinkle with chopped walnuts and parsley.

## LETTUCE AND PINEAPPLES

Wash and dry a lettuce, pull apart the leaves, and place them in a bowl. Cover with diced pineapple, and top this with diced beetroot and finely chopped gherkins. Add mayonnaise dressing, and sprinkle a little grated Parmesan over all.

## FIGUANT SALAD IN GRAPEFRUIT

Cut the grapefruit in halves and take out the pulp, leaving firm cases. Fix this pulp with a banana finely chopped and about the same quantity of chopped lettuce, adding some diced new potatoes and a dessertspoonful of French capers. Divide the mixture between the grapefruit cases and top with mayonnaise dressing.

A good sweet salad may be made with a basis of red-currant jelly. Make up the jelly as usual, and when it has cooled a little, mix in a diced apple, a cupful of stoned bottled cherries cut in halves, a plantain cut into thin slices, and a cupful of finely diced pineapple. Turn into a moistened basin, leave to set, then beat up with a fork and pile it on to well-washed and dried lettuce leaves. If liked, top with whipped cream and a sprinkling of ground almonds.

## TUNA FISH SALAD

2 1/2 cups tuna fish flaked  
1 1/2 cups celery cut in pieces  
2 tsp. sliced stuffed olives  
3 tsp. capers.  
1 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. paprika  
French dressing  
Mayonnaise dressing  
Combine the tuna fish, celery, capers, olives, salt, and paprika. Marinate in French dressing and let stand in the refrigerator to chill. Just before serving moisten with the mayonnaise dressing. Arrange on crisp lettuce and garnish with hard-cooked eggs.

## CHEESE SOUFFLE

3 tablespoons butter  
4 tablespoons flour  
1 1/2 cups milk  
2/3 cup cheese, cut fine  
1 tablespoon chopped parsley  
1 tablespoon chopped pimientos  
1 tablespoon chopped onion  
3 egg yolks  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon pepper  
3 egg whites, beaten  
Melt butter, add flour and when blended add milk and cook until creamy sauce forms. Stir constantly. Add cheese and beat well. Add seasonings and yolks and beat 2 minutes. Fold in whites. Pour into butter pan or mold. Set in pan hot water and bake 30 minutes in moderate oven.

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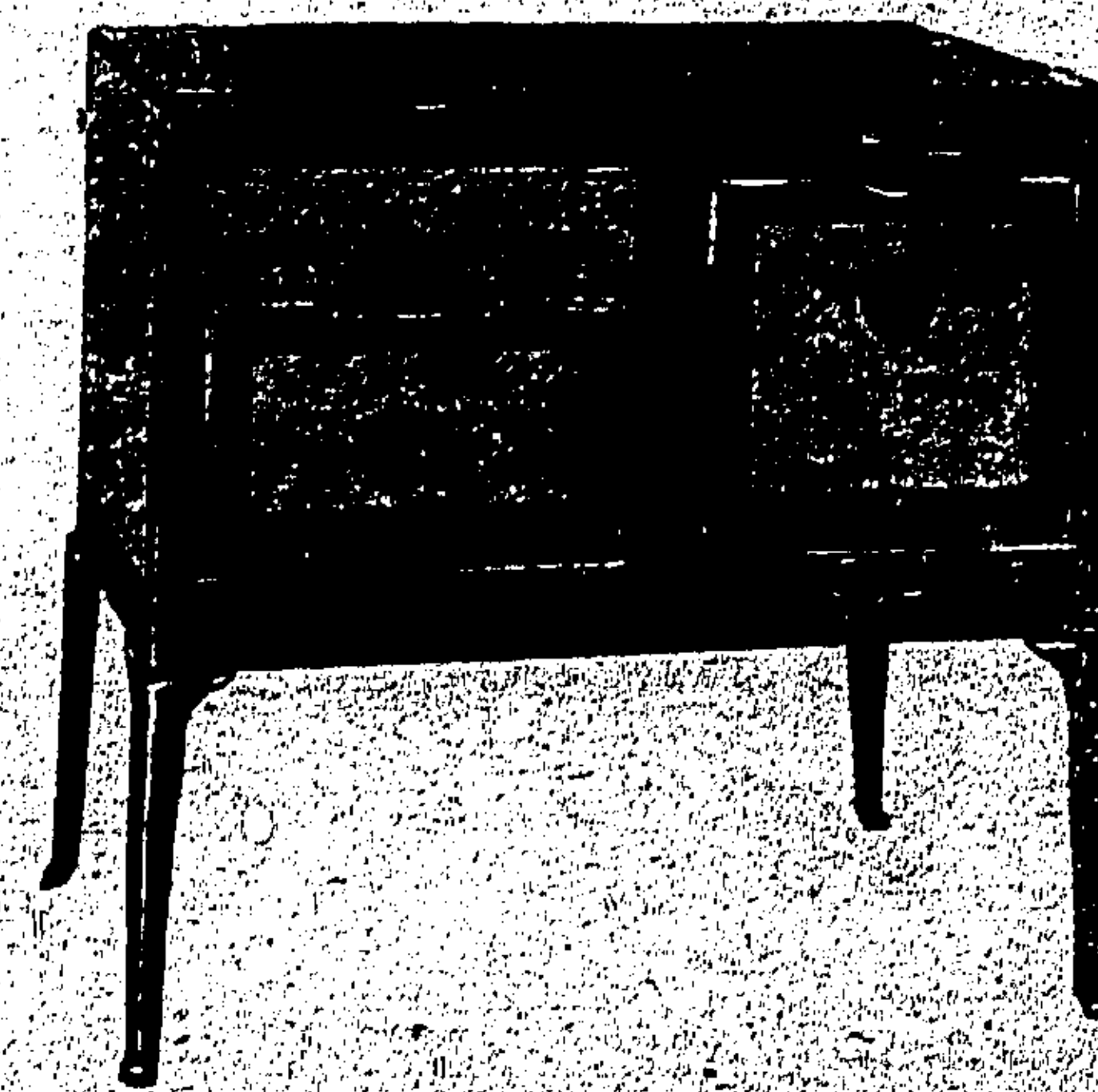
## MUSHROOM SAUCE

Fry brown  
1 tablespoon chopped onion in 3 tablespoons oil; then add 1 1/2 cups brown stock including mushroom stock. Add 1 pint 1 1/2 pound mushroom caps  
1 teaspoon salt  
Pepper to taste.  
ONION SAUCE  
Chop fine  
1 onion and brown in 2 tablespoons oil; then add 1 cup boiling water and cook 15 minutes; stir in 1 tablespoon flour and add 1 bouillon cube  
1 cup water  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon celery salt; pepper to taste and add Pinch of ground sage.

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## "THE PUBLIC BE DAMNED!"

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.

An even more glaring example of the abuse of quotation, this time deliberate, dogged, Mr. William Vanderbilt, the famous "commodore," all his life, the phrase was, "The public be damned!" and it was supposed to sum up the bullying attitude of American big business to the little man.

This is actually how Vanderbilt came to use it.

In 1882 he arrived one evening in Chicago in his private train. He had begun dinner with a group of friends when a free-lance journalist forced his way into the car and demanded an interview.

Vanderbilt replied that he was engaged, but that if the reporter would wait he would see him after dinner.

The man became importunate. "It is late," he said, "and I will not reach the office in time. The public."

This was too much for the Commodore. "The public be damned!" he shouted. "You get out of here."

The reporter did, and wrote a story for a newspaper in which he attributed the phrase "The public be damned!" to Vanderbilt, and suppressed all mention of the incident which had provoked it.

## THE MEDICAL PROFESSION

Tribute By King

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 14.

The King yesterday acknowledged the services he and members of the Royal family have received from the medical profession.

His Majesty, who was accompanied by the Queen, was declaring open the Post Graduate School, the first in Britain, attached to the L.O.C. Hospital at Hammer-smith. He said:

"I am especially glad of this opportunity to show my gratitude for the skill and care which I and my family have received from members of the medical profession, and not least from distinguished members of the governing body of this school."

The governing body, of which the chairman is Sir Austen Chamberlain, includes Lord Dawson of Penn, physician-in-ordinary to the King, and Lord Horder, physician to the Prince of Wales.

The cost of the new building and equipment is £200,000, shared by the Treasury and the London County Council. The school itself holds a Royal Charter and is part of London University.

After the King had declared the school open, their Majesties made a tour of the departments and the new surgical and maternity wards. Their visit lasted an hour.

Although the official week of Jubilee celebration is over, excitement and enthusiasm among the crowds who thronged the route at Shepherd's Bush was undiminished.

School's Three Tasks

In asking the King to open the school, Sir Austen Chamberlain, speaking from below the dais, said that the school had three great tasks to perform.

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"Our ambition is to make of this school a great Imperial centre of British medical science, drawing students and teachers alike from all parts of your Majesty's dominions."

King's Tribute

The King then expressed his great pleasure at coming there with the Queen to open the school. He said:

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"You have reminded me that a foundation such as this was recommended by a committee presided over by Lord Athlone. A recommendation of the same committee resulted, some years ago, in the creation, with generous assistance from the Rockefeller Foundation, of the great 'London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.'"

"Lord Athlone must be gratified, as Chancellor of the University, to take part in the realisation of the last stage of his far-reaching plan."

"While the two schools trace back to the same origin, there is a further bond of union between them. The foundation stone of each was laid by the Chancellor of the Exchequer (Mr. Neville Chamberlain) who, as Minister of Health, had so large a share in their evolution, and you, Sir Austen, following a distinguished family tradition, are chairman of each Board of Governors."

"It is my earnest hope this school, with its happy union of ward and laboratory, university and local authority, drawing students and teachers alike from all parts of our Empire, and I trust, from regions even more widely spread, may prosper under God's blessing."

"May it play an imperial role in the winning and dissemination of medical knowledge, in the relief of suffering amongst my peoples in this country and overseas, and in enabling the doctors of all lands to come together in a task where all must be allies and helpers."

When King Was X-Rayed

Members of London University, of the L.O.C. and of the governing body were presented to the King and Queen before the procession reformed. On its way from

## SIXTY BOOKS

For The King's Library

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 10.

Sir James Barrie recently had a Jubilee idea.

What an excellent thing it would be, he thought, if the leading writers and composers of Britain each chose a book he (or she) had written and sent it to the King.

So Sir James went to the council of the Society of Authors, Playwrights and Composers, of which he is President, and told them his idea.

They thought it a splendid one and, straightway the King was asked if he would accept such a library of the books of the writers of his realm.

The King, who, like the Queen, is a great reader with catholic tastes, at once assured the Society that he was looking forward with the greatest possible interest to receiving the books.

NOT ALL HIGHBROW

So in a few days a large consignment of books will arrive at the Royal Library, Windsor Castle, for the King. Each book—

Will be signed by its author.

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Will be in a single volume.

Altogether there will be 62 books—one from practically every member of the council.

It would obviously have been too prodigious a task to send a book from every one of the 4,000 other author-members of the Society who are not on the council.

Of the selected books "His Majesty," by H. Granville-Barker, is an appropriate title, and there is Mr. Baldwin's "On England," J. B. Priestley's "English Journey," and Professor G. M. Trevelyan's "History of England."

But this is by no means a high-brow list of books. No one will appreciate better than the King, who knows so well all the seafaring types of his country, Mr. W. W. Jacob's "Many Cargoes," or the human smiles and tears which are awakened on reading "Sir James Barrie's 'Collected Plays.'"

The Prime Minister "has that beautifully-written tribute to his wife, 'Margaret Ethel MacDonald,' and 'Viscount Cecil of Chelwood has chosen 'The Way of Peace.'"

Mr. Bernard Shaw looked along his tremendous array of books and finally picked upon "St. Joan."

Women writers are well to the fore. There is "The Lodger," by Mrs. Belloc Lowndes; "Streaks of Life," by Dame Ethel Smyth; "Broome Stages," by Clemence Dane; "Fairies and Chimneys," by Rosa Fyleman; "Gallybird," by Sheila Kaye-Smith; "The Disinherited Family," by Eleanor Rathbone, M.P.; and "A Long Time Ago," by Margaret Kennedy.

## THE DOMINIONS AND FOREIGN POLICY

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.

The Dominion Prime Ministers discussed British foreign policy for the second time with Mr. MacDonald and other British Ministers on Wednesday. Mr. Forbes, Prime Minister of New Zealand, had not arrived in London when the last meeting took place, but he joined Mr. Bennett and General Hertzog at this meeting. Mr. Lyons was not present on this occasion because he was not feeling well.

The Dominion High Commissioners were also present at the talks, including (how much one notes any sign of Irish co-operation in Commonwealth affairs these days) Mr. Dulaney, the Free State High Commissioner. The British Ministers, besides Mr. MacDonald, were once more Mr. Baldwin, Sir John Simon, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Mr. Thomas, and Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister.

No information is available about the tenor of the talks, but it is understood that they covered the whole field of British foreign policy in regard to both Europe and the Far East.

the dais the King caught sight of Gen. Hertzog in the body of the hall. He and the Queen stopped to shake hands with him.

During the tour of inspection which followed the King was particularly interested in the X-ray section, the finest of its kind in the country. He inquired specially about the precautions taken to safeguard operators from the effects of rays, and recalled his own experience when he was X-rayed after he was thrown from his horse while on a visit to the front during the war.

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## CINEMA TRADE NOTICES

## ROBERTA

Double romance proceeds along a gay tuneful way in "Roberta," RKO-Radio's spectacular new musical production starring Irene Dunne, Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, coming to the King's Theatre on Friday.

Based upon the stage-play which made theatrical history on Broadway and in all of the large eastern cities, the picture deals with love in a Paris gown shop. Jerome Kern wrote the music. Some of the original numbers from the stage play are retained, and Kern has written several new hits especially for the picture.

Miss Dunne sings, Astaire and Miss Rogers dance, and a spectacular fashion show climaxes the intensely human and altogether logical story.

The practical love interest is between Miss Dunne and Randolph Scott, but there is more than a suggestion of romance in the sparkling repartee and zany camaraderie of Astaire and Miss Rogers.

Included in the supporting cast are such favorites as Helen Westley, Victor Varconi, Claire Dodd, Luis Alberni and Ferdinand Munier. A bevy of America's most beautiful girls add eye-appeal as the fashion mannequins, and a dance band, composed of radio and night club headliners, supplies some sparkling melody under the expert guidance of Astaire.

## THE SILVER STREAK

Recording on the motion picture screen the crowning achievement of a century of railroading, RKO-Radio's "The Silver Streak" showing to-day at the King's Theatre, brings to the public the first glimpses of the new streamline train of the Burlington Railroad. The Burlington Zephyr, rechristened "Silver Streak" for the picture.

Aside from its strong element of drama, "The Silver Streak" is indeed a cinema show-case of modern wonders. In addition to the fast new train, the first pictures of the Boulder Dam are brought to the screen. The first scenes of the new Moffat Tunnel, that put Denver on the main line of a transcontinental railroad and required twenty years to drill, are screened for the first time. The great invention of medical science, the Drinker Respirator, commonly called the "iron lung" that is a boon to sufferers from lung paralysis, also is shown for the first time. Scenes of the Chicago World's Fair, where part of the picture was filmed, are to be seen. Other scenic backgrounds include the famed Royal George and the beautiful Colorado River country west of Denver.

The love interest of the story is carried by Sally Blane, as the daughter of the railroad president and Charles Starrett as the young engineer.

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## SMART MONEY

This picture opened at the Alhambra Theatre yesterday in which Edward G. Robinson plays the leading role of a first rate gambler after starting out as a barber. He eventually gets mixed up with a number of expert card sharps in a poker game, and shows them that he knows something of the game too.

Mr. Robinson has a big supporting cast including James Cagney, Evelyn Knapp, Margaret Livingston and Boris Karloff.

"Smart Money" provides exciting entertainment in which there is comedy as well as drama.—R.A.C.

## WINGED GREETING

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 18. For Scotland and Northern Ireland the Jubilee celebrations reached the climax during the week-end with the visits of the Duke and Duchess of York and the Duke of Gloucester.

At Edinburgh the Duchess released carrier pigeons bearing Scotland's greeting and message of loyalty to the King.

The Duke and Duchess began their crowded day by a visit to 1,500 children at Leith.

Two thousand old people, entertained to lunch in Waverley Market, also cheered as the Duke and Duchess entered.

Noticing that one "old wife" on account of her age would have difficulty in mounting the steps of the platform, the Duchess hurried across and descended the steps to accept a bouquet from her.

Royal Home in Ulster? In Belfast, the Duke of Gloucester was greeted by thousands of people who packed the streets through which he drove. At the City Hall he was made a Freeman of Belfast.

In an address of congratulation to the King, the Lord Mayor, Sir Crawford McCullagh, expressed the hope that a royal residence might be established in Northern Ireland.

## DECLINE IN MORAL STANDARDS

Must Protect Young

(Special Air Mail Service)

Glasgow, May 18. A decline in the moral standards of life in Scotland is deplored in the Free Church of Scotland General Assembly reports. The Committee on Public Questions deplore that large sections of the public have fallen away from the Church altogether.

"A large share of the responsibility for the current thought and antipathy among the lapsed masses must," it is insisted, "be laid at the door of those who have been discrediting the authority of the Bible."

The committee dislike the inordinate craze for dancing, which shows no signs of abating; insidious cinema films which encourage looseness of moral behaviour; and the pernicious type of literature which is made available everywhere.

"Engrossing Publicity." "Much of the prevailing immorality," says the report, "is undoubtedly due to these evils, as well as to the engrossing publicity given in the press to what may be truth, but is not truly handled."

The Church's duty in protecting the young is, again, proclaimed. It is stated with sorrow that the neglect of Sabbath observance is growing. There are more facilities for Sunday trading, sport, and amusement. Glasgow Corporation is mentioned for repealing the by-law which prohibits the playing of games in municipal parks and golf-courses on Sunday. "The action of the Corporation," it is said, "has wounded the conscience of the Christian community in the city."

Under the title "Romanism," it is stated—"The principles, aims, and aggressions of the Church of Rome are so well known that apathy on the part of Protestants is inexcusable, and may be disastrous. The debt we owe to the Reformation is so great that we cannot allow our priceless heritage to be in any way impaired."

## ORDER OF THE BATH

Unusual Incident Recalled

Royal Investitures involve overtime for the secretaries and registrars of the various orders, but these officials are spared some of the complicated duties of their forebears.

The statutes of the Order of the Bath are full of abandoned ceremonial such as fasting and vigils. The Order, too, once lived up to its name. In Charles II's reign a gentleman named Thomas Lisle was the King's barber. His chief duty was to give a scented bath to recipients of the Order.

He was allowed to levy a fixed charge of £5 from every commoner and £50 from every peer so honoured.

Admiral Stapleton Cotton, the present secretary of the Order, has no such duties, but his work entails a vast correspondence for the bestowal of orders, especially on persons living abroad, goes through such channels as Embassies, Government Houses and Consulates.

Sometimes mistakes are made. An instance of Viceregal presence of mind occurred during the first Jubilee of Queen Victoria. Lord Dufferin, then Viceroy of India, had to bestow a high order on a good rajah. At the same time he had to read a lecture to a bad rajah.

His aide, who had prepared two speeches, gave the wrong sheet to the Viceroy, who began to read the eulogy to the bad rajah. He had nearly finished when he spotted his mistake.

He recovered himself in time. "This," he said, stopping short, "is what I should have said had your Highness been a just ruler." Then he read the Viceregal rebuke.

Age of Specialization Beggar—"It isn't that I'm afraid to work, ma'am, but there ain't much doing now in my particular line."

Lady of the House—"Why, what are you?" Beggar—"A window-box weeder, ma'am."

## TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

## Hong Kong

## KING'S:-

"The Silver Streak"

QUEEN'S:-

"Naughty Marietta"

ORIENTAL:-

"What Every Woman Knows"

On the stage

The Great Dimoff

## Kowloon

## MAJESTIC:-

"Gift of Gab"

ALHAMBRA:-

"Smart Money"

## Coming

## KING'S:-

"Roberta"

ORIENTAL:-

"When New York Sleeps"

"Affairs of Cellini"

"The Band Plays On"

"Smarty"

"Sequoia"

ALHAMBRA:-

"The 13th Guest"

## HORSE SEES A RACING FILM

## Device To Register

## Reactions

(Special Air Mail Service)

Newcastle-on-Tyne, May 16. The device of taking a horse to see the racing film "Strictly Confidential," at a cinema in South Shields, produced lively scenes to-day when Kitty, a hunter from a local riding school, lashed out her disapproval in the stalls and destroyed 20 tip-up seats.

The only persons in the cinema at the time were a riding school proprietress, a groom, and the cinema staff. Kitty had been taken to get her "reactions" registered.

Her "reactions" were violent, but they were partly curbed by William Rennie, the groom, who clung to her head when the mare began to jump about the stalls, and became jammed between the seats. Several of the seats had to be removed before she could be freed.

Kitty was eventually taken out little the worse for her first cinema matinee.

Mr. S. Taylor, manager of the cinema, said: "The film had only been in progress about ten minutes when Kitty must have scraped against something. She lashed out and destroyed about half a row of seats with one kick. Till then she reacted very well, and seemed to be, taking a great interest in the picture."

## LEATHER JACKETS' VICTORY?

## Lord's Test Match Menaced

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 18. The leatherjackets seem to be winning the battle of Lord's after all. Here is the story of the cricket played there so far:

M.C.C. v. Surrey.—25 wickets fell in two days, rain having prevented play on the first day. M.C.C. v. Yorkshire.—40 wickets fell, and match ended in two days.

Middlesex v. Lancashire.—35 wickets fell and match completed in a day and a half. Middlesex v. Worcestershire.—25 wickets fell on Saturday, the opening day.

Altogether 125 batsmen have been dismissed in seven days.

It is obvious that the ground has not made the recovery so confidently anticipated when the proposal to take the season's opening games elsewhere was rejected.

The M.C.C. are now faced with a serious situation. The South Africans are due at Lord's next week-end, when they meet an M.C.C. eleven, to be captained, it is learned, by R. E. S. Wyatt.

The following week-end the South Africans return to Lord's to play Middlesex. And on June 29 the second Test match, has been fixed to begin—only seven weeks hence, and an armistice between the Lord's groundsman and the leather-jackets is still to be declared!

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## GLASGOW CELEBRATIONS

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 18. Glasgow's ceremonial celebrations of the Jubilee found expression in the service in the Cathedral and the military parade in George Square. Each in its own fashion was in harmony with the occasion, and both brought colour and spectacle to a city that enjoys too little pageantry. But a crowded congregation at the Cathedral and 40,000 spectators in George Square testified to the city's approval of formal celebrations of the Jubilee, and made some amends for the disappointment freely expressed that the civic authorities had done so little to organise expressions of public rejoicing.

A City of Children Glasgow gave the impression of being a city of children. One met them everywhere, going to the parks, coming from the parks, but chiefly in the parks, where they swarmed in such numbers that one wondered where they all came from. They made a happy picture, and were themselves the living embodiment of 25 years' progress. They are not only better dressed than the children of 1910, but they are more appropriately dressed. And they look healthier and more robust. The only change-time has failed to accomplish is the capacity in the young for getting dirty. The child of 1935 coming home and meeting the child of 1910 would have no difficulty in recognising a brother in grubbiness.

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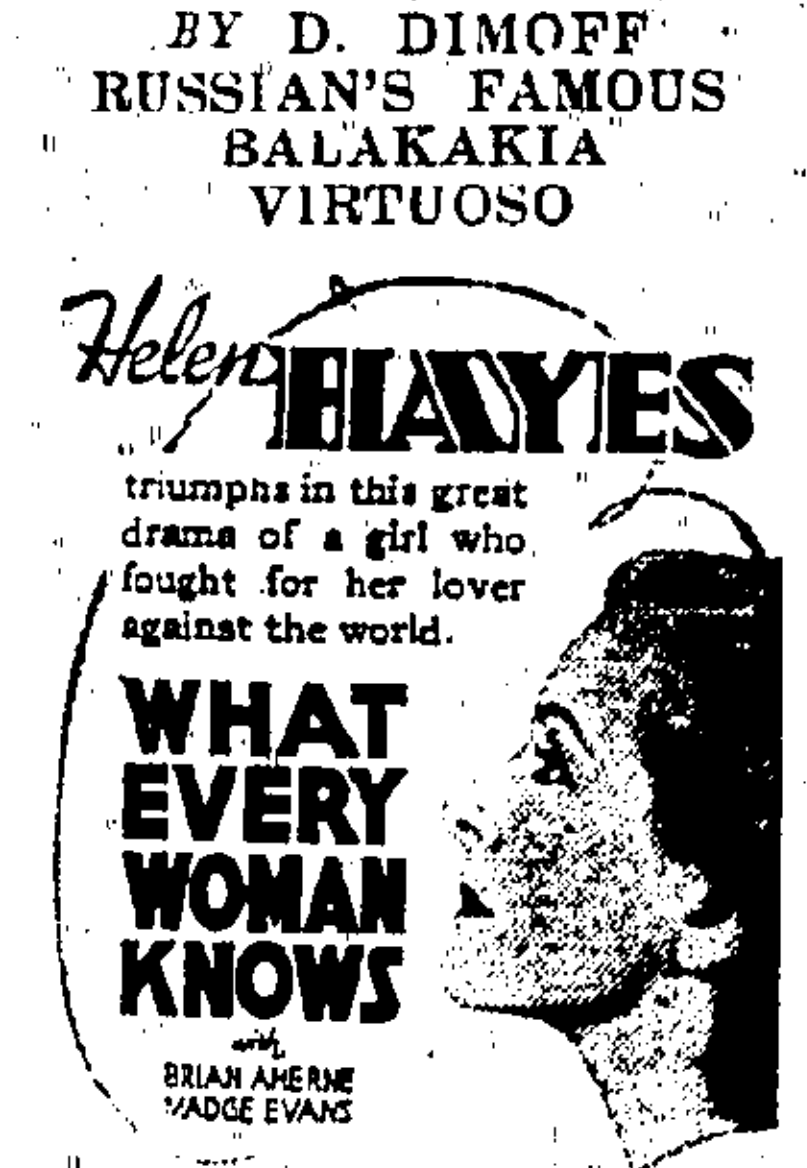
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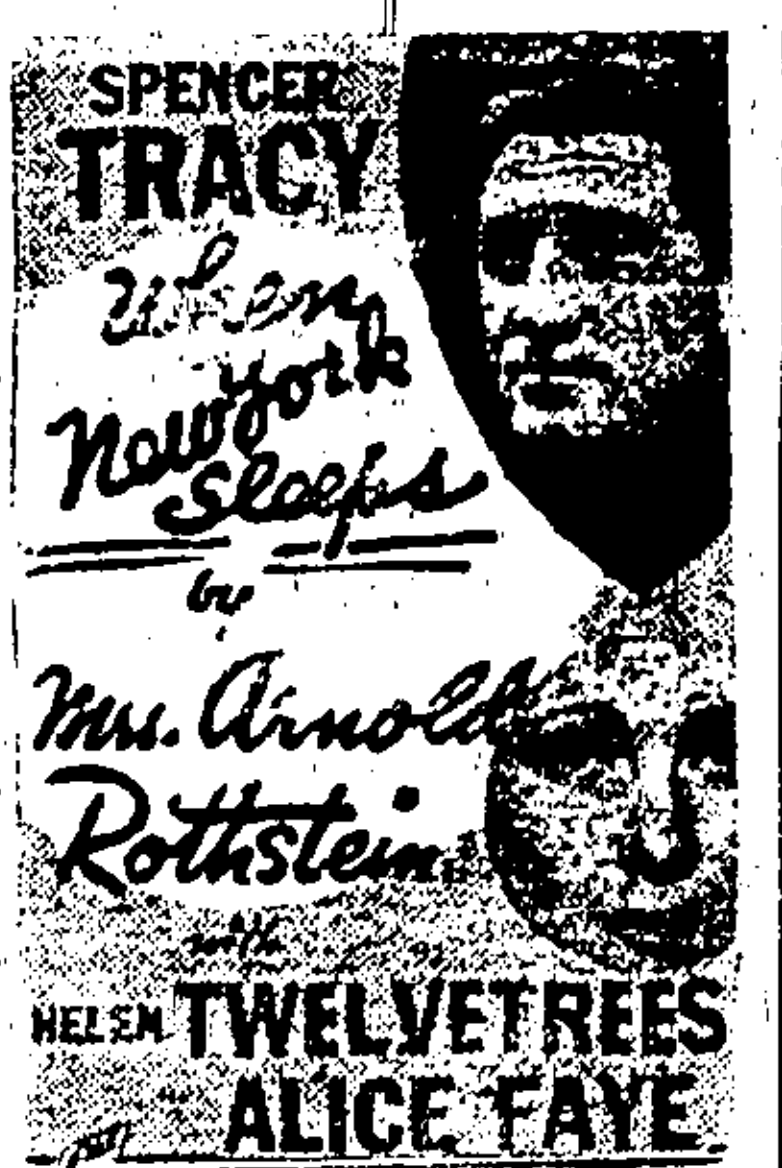
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## CASINO MURDER CASE

Murder mysteries are always expected to hold an audience spell-bound and one of the finest murder mysteries to come out of Hollywood is to be seen at the Queen's Theatre next week where the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production, "The Casino Murder Case" will be screened.

The picture brings a new Philo Vance to the screen in Paul Lukas, who is ably assisted by Rosalind Russell, who makes her debut as a leading lady on the screen.

The plot centres around the eccentric Llewellyn family, consisting of Allison Skipworth as Mrs. Llewellyn; Isabelle Jewell as her daughter and Donald Cook as her son. Arthur Byron is seen in the role of her brother, Leslie Fenton as her daughter's fiancé and Louise Fazenda as the family maid—all of whom, at one time or another are murder suspects.

Others in the cast are Ted Healy as Sergeant Heath, Purnell Pratt as the District Attorney, and Eric Blore as Philo Vance's Man Friday.

## MONTE CARLO NIGHTS

Authenticity is rapidly becoming the keyword in the picture industry. Executives of the industry, realizing that the public wants its backgrounds, characters and plot as near to the real thing as possible, are spending every effort to produce realism on the screen.

With this idea in mind, Monogram Pictures spent considerable time, money and energy in preparing the script and the sets for their latest attraction, "Monte Carlo Nights," starring Mary Brian and John Darrow, which come to the Alhambra Theatre on Sunday.

As the title indicates, most of the action of the story takes place at Monte Carlo. The story, which is the adaptation of the famous mystery novel by E. Phillips Oppenheim, includes a few French

## NAUGHTY MARIETTA

Jeannette MacDonald, heroine of "The Merry Widow" and Nelson Eddy, noted American baritone who demonstrates that he is destined to be one of the screen's great new leading men, are teamed in a delectable blend of drama, romance and music in "Naughty Marietta," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's translation of the Victor Herbert masterpiece which opens to-day at the Queen's Theatre.

Retaining all the gorgeous music of the operetta, the picture is produced as a thundering drama of New Orleans of the Creole days, with the famous "Marriage Auction," the savage battles between troopers and pirates, the importation of the Casquette Girls, their rescue from the pirates and other vivid detail.

Miss MacDonald plays the princess who, to escape a marriage of state, flees to the new colony of Louisiana where she meets her romance in the British captain played by Nelson Eddy. Clever dramatic artists both, with gorgeous singing voices, they make a perfect team.

W. S. Van Dyke directed the picture, injecting many artistic touches. The battle sequence, especially thrilling. Elsa Lanchester is interesting as the wife of the governor of Louisiana, played by Frank Morgan. Walter Long and Douglas Dumbrille provide menace, and comedy is in the hands of Edward Brophy and Harold Huber as the two sergeants. Akim Tamiroff, Joseph Cawthorne, Cecilia Parker, Greta Meyer and others have roles that they fill more than satisfactorily.

characters. Monogram recruited, not only French actors for the parts, but only those who had been to Monte Carlo and were able to portray their roles with the ease that comes with the experience of the real thing.

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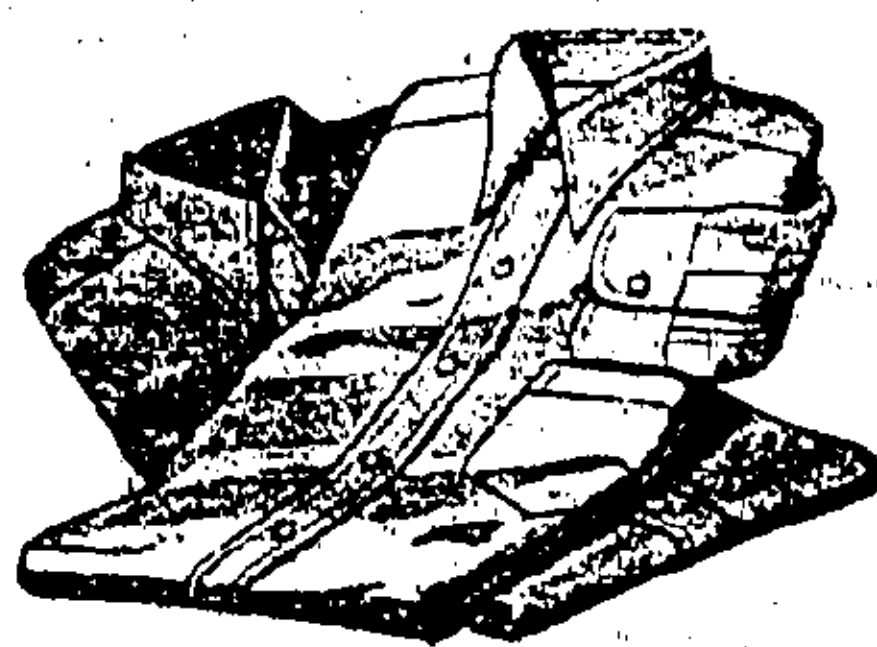
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## Around the Courts

### ARMS ON BOARD A JUNK

Sin Kun Shing, aged 25, Sin Yiu Fu, aged 27, and their father, Sin Yeung, aged 47, were brought before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, charged with possession of a Mauser pistol, 64 rounds of ammunition and four ammunition clips without a licence on board junk No. 5580 at Shaikwan Harbour. First defendant pleaded guilty and was sentenced to 12 months' hard labour. The sons' denials were accepted by the prosecution and they were accordingly discharged.

Detective Sub-Inspector L. Whant appeared for the prosecution and stated that the pistol was found in a specially-constructed box and in the bottom was found the ammunition. The box had been fitted into a cavity in the doorway of the sleeping compartment at the stern of the boat.

Addressing Sub-Inspector Whant the Magistrate said: "You are to be congratulated" and when told that a Chinese detective was responsible for the actual discovery of the arms he said, "Lui Wing, you did very well indeed."

### CONJUROR FINED

Tai Kwok Po is one of the most famous conjurers in Hong Kong. He has a letter of recommendation from the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith to the people on the Peak," said Inspector K. W. Andrew when prosecuting Tai Kwok Po for exposing to public view an indecent exhibition on May 20 at the Chinese Recreation Ground at Hollywood Road.

The Inspector visited the place on May 20 and found lying on a plank a Chinese boy who was sexually abnormal. People, including children, had paid one cent admission. The advertisement outside the booth proclaimed the lad to be "a wonderful man" and it was added that if this were untrue 50 cents would be given back.

Inspector Andrew added that on May 20, Tai Kwok Po was charged in the Second Court for cruelty to a small boy. He was dismissed as he was not present at the time the boy was forced to do certain acrobatics. The former holder of the licence, Chan Kai, had been before the S.C.A. on four occasions and his licence had been withdrawn. They had had a lot of trouble with this booth.

A fine of \$50 was imposed by Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy which was later reduced to \$25. The child and its mother are to be sent to the country.

### EVADING FARE

An attempt to avoid payment of fare on the Yau-mat Ferry was heard before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday when Lo Hong, a 19-year-old student, was charged with the offence, while Wong Pak Hing, another student 20 years old was charged with transferring his monthly ticket.

Inspector Portallion, of the Mong Kok Police Station, stated that the first defendant wanted to get a book from the second defendant, but the latter had left it in his home in Nuliah Street, Kowloon. The second defendant then lent his monthly ticket to the first defendant and told him to go to his place to get the book. The first defendant pleaded guilty, while the second defendant denied the charge.

After the evidence of two students who came from the same school, was heard, the second defendant was convicted. One of the students was severely reprimanded for lying.

A fine of \$25 was imposed on each defendant.

### EXTRADITION CASE

The hearing of the case against Yeung Kin Ping whose extradition is being sought by the Chinese authorities in Shanghai for alleged embezzlement of the sum of \$34,000 from the Postal Remittance and Savings Bank in 1932, again came before Mr. W. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday.

The case for the Crown was conducted by Mr. J. A. Fraser, the Assistant Attorney General, who was instructed by the Assistant Crown Solicitor, Mr. W. Lockhart-Smith. The fugitive was represented by Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., instructed by Mr. G. S. Hugh-Jones of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist.

During yesterday's hearing, Mr. Jenkin submitted that there was not sufficient evidence to convict his client.

The case was adjourned until this afternoon.

### CONSPIRING TO ROB Five Men Sent To Prison

The accidental discovery of a parcel in the store of his firewood establishment in Canton Road by the proprietor which contained four knives, four walnuts and rolls of strings led to the appearance of five unemployed Chinese males Luk, Hing, 22, Fung Yee, Yau Kam Shui, 29, Yau Shu Wing, 27 and Lo Chau, 24, before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy charged with conspiracy to commit an armed robbery at 618 Shanghai Street, ground and first floors on diverse dates between April 14 and May 3.

Prosecuting Detective Inspector A. J. W. Dorling stated that a man who owned a firewood shop also owned a hut along the road near 1011. Near the wooden fence of the place where he stored his firewood the proprietor on May 2 found near the kitchen of the place a parcel which contained the materials. The parcel was sent to the police station and a detective was sent there to keep watch.

Detective's Watch

On the morning of May 3, at 6 a.m., the detective saw four men, 1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th defendants going at a distance towards the fence and two of them were actually seen, i.e. the 1st and 3rd searching with their hands near the fence. Nothing appeared to have been found and all four retraced their steps and went to 618 Shanghai Street where the second defendant was picked up. Five of them went back again to the same place and once more they were unsuccessful in searching for what they had been looking for. All walked off with the detective, still on the watch. They went by diverse routes before coming into Jordan Road and there the detective, with the assistance of two Shantung constables, had the men arrested and searched them and on the person of the second accused was found a parcel containing rolls of strings. All were taken to the Police station and there charged and all five admitted the charge in different words.

After Lee Wo, the master of the shop, had given evidence regarding the finding of the parcel, evidence of arrest was given by Detective Yau Chung.

Statements Denied

Police Interpreter Chan Yin Kwan deposed to the statements which the five accused made at the station. These statements were repudiated by the accused who, in the statements made in court, denied the charge totally.

Addressing the defendants His worship said that the first defendant seemed to have been the ring-leader of the gang. He had served six weeks in 1932 for larceny and sentence of six months' hard labour was imposed on him. The other four each received three months' hard labour.

### BANISHEES COMMITTED

Chan Ki, alias Chan Sang, alias Chan Yin 24 years old and Lai Kan, aged 37 two banishees were charged before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday charged with a breach of the deportation Ordinance.

The first defendant was arrested on May 13 by Chinese detective Lui Luk near Pakhol Street. He had been banished in 1933 for a period of ten years. The second was arrested by Detective Chan Lam on May 23 in Kowloon City. He was only banished last year for a period of 10 years.

They had five and seven previous convictions respectively against them. Both were committed to stand trial at the next Criminal Sessions. Sergt. H. N. Moran officer in charge of Criminal records prosecuted.

Charged before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday with attempting to travel on the Yau-mat ferry launch Man To without paying yesterday afternoon, Ng Kan, aged 43, unemployed, pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 or, in default, one week's imprisonment. Mr. L. A. Hurlow, Inspector of the Ferry Company, appeared as complainant.

A fine of \$10 was imposed on A. F. Rose who pleaded guilty before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday to a summons for dangerous driving at quarry No. 3, Shaikwan West, Lau Kuen Fai, 38 Tai Shek Street, was fined \$25 and ordered to pay \$20 compensation to a married woman, Tam Chun, who was injured as a result of the blasting. Sergt. Danbrowsky said the woman had been in hospital since April 17 suffering from badly lacerated heels.

## H. F. WADE

### Scores Hundred For South Africans

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 18. The predictions concerning the wicket at Lord's, and the possibility of the Middlesex v. Lancashire match finishing in two days, received support this morning when Hulme took the three Lancashire wickets for six runs while a total of 12 was scored.

Watson saved a "pair" by scoring a single off Smith's first over, but Hulme performed an acrobatic feat to catch and bowl him off the first ball he bowled. Tyldesley, hero of Lancashire's first innings, was bowled by a delivery which did some thing very remarkable and Hepwood fell a victim to the new lbw rule.

Thus Lancashire were three wickets down before clearing off arrears of 22, and they lost a fourth at 33.

R. W. V. Robins next joined in and proved nearly unplayable. Lancashire were all out for 78. Robins had figures of

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H. F. Wade and E. A. Rowan added to their second wicket stand when the South Africans' innings was continued at Cambridge. The Cambridge bowling was commendably steady, and in the first hour kept the scoring down to less than a run a minute.

"Wade completed a century and Rowan needed but two at the lunch interval."

Langridge (John) and Parks (J.) put on over 100 before the first Sussex wicket fell against Worcestershire.

Sutcliffe, batted well for Yorkshire against Glamorgan, and the score was well into three figures when Barber was out for 50.

Gloucester were all out for 460 against Oxford University.

### CHINA'S FINANCE ADVISER

Dr. O. C. Lockhart Assumes Post

Dr. O. C. Lockhart, adviser to the Ministry of Finance, has assumed the duties of Associate Chief Inspector of the Salt Revenue Department in succession to Dr. Frederick A. Cleveland, who had resigned, having been called home owing to the serious illness of a near relative.

During his six years and four months' service in the Administration, his association with his colleagues was a happy one. Dr. Cleveland told a representative of the "North-China Daily News" in an interview. He also expressed gratification at the appointment of Dr. Lockhart, a financial expert free from the pressure of international politics. He pointed out that Mr. T. V. Soong had laid down the policy of keeping the civil service from being involved in politics, and this policy had been carried out in the administration.

Dr. Cleveland arrived in China in February, 1929, as expert member in budget accounting and fiscal control of the Kemmerer Commission. With his far reaching experience in public and private finance, he has, during his connection with the administration, brought about improvement in accounting, budget procedure, and fiscal control.

Kwok Fat, aged 28, unemployed, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday charged with the theft of fish valued at \$10 from a barrel, the property of Tsui Yuk, master of fish stall No. 252 at the Central Market.

Inspector A. Smith, prosecuting, stated that a constable saw defendant take the fish from the barrel at 1 o'clock this morning, and place them in a basket. Two other men were nearby, apparently acting as watchers. The constable summoned the assistance of a market watchman, and arrested the defendant, but the two other men ran away. Defendant admitted a previous conviction and sentence of six weeks' hard labour was imposed.

Pleading guilty before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court yesterday to a summons for dangerous driving at quarry No. 3, Shaikwan West, Lau Kuen Fai, 38 Tai Shek Street, was fined \$25 and ordered to pay \$20 compensation to a married woman, Tam Chun, who was injured as a result of the blasting. Sergt. Danbrowsky said the woman had been in hospital since April 17 suffering from badly lacerated heels.

## THE KING

### Greeted By Many Children

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 18. The King Who Loves Children drove with the Queen, between 70,000 of them—his guests, for he had asked that they might be there.

It must have been for him the happiest and merriest of all his Jubilee days.

On Monday he spoke to the children over the microphone. "The future is yours," he said. "I put my confident trust in you."

Yesterday the children came to give their King their answer; to tell him by their cheers that they will be true to their heritage.

HOW THEY CHEERED

And how they cheered! They rose, in their serried ranks in the Mall and Constitution-hill. They made more noise than even the crowds on Monday.

And how the King and Queen enjoyed it! Not for yesterday were those formal bows right and left, from the Queen, those salutes from the King.

The smiling Queen waved her white-gloved hand again and again; the King did the same. The children waved back—the same kind of thing you all do when the family are off for the day.

A MOVING FAIRY-BOOK

Hundreds of these children had never seen the West End before. They must think it is fairyland.

They watched almost in awe the scarlet and gold of the royal cavalcade; the prancing horses, the glittering breastplates of the Life Guards. It was as if every fairy book they had ever seen had suddenly sprung into action.

After the procession had passed there was almost complete silence for a few moments. These children could hardly credit what they had seen.

In the Park were thousands upon thousands more children, an incredible display of youth.

Those children—70,000 of them—camped round St. James's Park. They had all brought their lunches.

When they had gone there was not a trace of litter. The stands and the park were as spotless as they had found them! It wasn't so last Monday, when we went to see the King!

### USE OF RECORDS IN BROADCASTS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, May 28. The trial brought by seven German manufacturers belonging to an international syndicate against the German Broadcasting Company demanding payment of a fee for the use of their records in radio transmission ended on Tuesday in a practical rejection of the suit.

The judgment upholds that the records of speeches, literary works, and addresses are subject to the terms of the international authors copyright and may not be used for broadcasting purposes. The manufacturers, however, are not entitled to prohibit the use of musical records as the copyright thereby is not infringed.

The German Press, commenting on the verdict, points out that in practical effect it is the same as the judgment pronounced in similar proceedings at Budapest on Friday last when the Court rejected the record companies' suit in its entirety.

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### MR. M. H. C. GUTTERIDGE

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 18.

The death was reported on Monday from Lahore, India, of Lt. M. H. C. Gutteridge, of the 3rd Battalion the Tank Corps, the Cambridge and Army half-mile runner. Death was due to typhoid fever.

Mr. Gutteridge, who was 27 years old, represented England at the 1930 Empire Games in Canada. Since 1928 he was a personality in British athletics. He gained his Blue at Cambridge that year, and ran second to C. E. G. Green in the Inter-Varsity half-mile. He won the event in the two following years.

His magnificent spurt in the British Games last May won him a sensational victory in the half-mile, and materially assisted the Milparian victory over the other British and Continental clubs. He held the Inter-Service record for the half-mile and was third last year in the British championships.

## DISCOUNT RATE IN FRANCE

### Rise To Combat Speculation

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Paris, May 28.

The discount rate has again been raised by the Banque de France in continuation of the avowed policy of combating franc speculation by this means. The increase this time being a full 2 per cent. from 4 to 6 per cent. The rate for market loans has likewise again been raised from 5 to 7 per cent. while the rate for advances on securities has gone up from 4 to 6 per cent.

Despite these measures, speculation is still proceeding, and is leading to growing nervousness among investors and small savers. How the latter class, in particular, have reacted to the present financial crisis is best shown by the latest returns by the Paris savings banks which show the excess in withdrawals over deposits paid in during the period of May 20 to 25, amounts to 9 million francs, whereas in the previous week these two items practically balanced each other. And in the two preceding weeks deposits paid in exceeded withdrawals by two and six million francs respectively.

The public alarm is principally due to the uncertainty as to the nature of the measures which will be enforced if the Chamber passes the Bill assigning the Government authoritative powers. The Government has therefore appended an appeal to the population to lend their support in the campaign against the devaluation of the franc, to a communique issued at the conclusion of Tuesday's Cabinet meeting, and to attempt to restore confidence by stating that a careful examination of the financial situation had shown there is "technically not a single factor which could endanger the stability of the currency."

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### GEN. GOERING LEAVES BULGARIA

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Sofia, May 28.

Goering's departure on Tuesday was the occasion of imposing manifestation of cordiality along the streets leading to the airport which was thronged with people, heartily cheering the visitor. King Boris as well as the Ministers of War, Communications and Education and many high officials and representatives of the German colony gave Goering a warm send off when the plane took off for Yugoslavia.

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IN YUGOSLAVIA

Belgrade, May 28.

General Goering arrived at 2 p.m. on Tuesday at Mostar aerodrome where he was greeted by the National-Socialist group leader for Yugoslavia. The party then proceeded by car to Ragusa.

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### RECRUITING OF NEW GERMAN ARMY

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, May 28.

Germany's new army will be recruited on the territorial system, that is to say, men needed to maintain the strength of the divisions allotted to each district will be drawn as far as possible from that district. This arrangement, states a semi-official news agency, is specially important in East Prussia which, cut off from the mother country, has to rely on her own resources but also, however, particularly difficult since this province is so sparsely populated.

The War Minister, General von Blomberg therefore decided that the period of military service for the inhabitants be extended from 45 to 55 and also that an additional class be called up for service this year. In the following year also it is expected two classes will be called up simultaneously each year.

Owing to the large number of applications for voluntary military service having been received, it is now officially announced that the closing date for the applications originally fixed for July 1 has now been advanced to June 15.

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## PREVENTING CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

### Review Of Society's Activities

Reference to methods of reducing cruelty to animals, especially those cruel conditions which are now permitted at the landing places and during transport, was made by the President, Mr. Russell, at the annual meeting of the Hong Kong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals held at Lane Crawford's yesterday.

Among those present were Sir Henry and Lady Pollock, J. Russell, H. M. Crockle (Secretary), G. R. Ross (Hon. Treasurer), A. Mackenzie, B. W. Hayden, R. A. D. Forrest, R. Pestonji, M. P. Tuliati, J. H. Bottonley, Mrs. Hogg, Miss E. Finlay, Mrs. L. G. Maunder, Miss C. Angus, and others.

### RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENTS

Addressing the meeting, the President (Mr. Russell) said, in part:—This past year must stand out very prominently in the records of our Society for something attempted, something done. We have a new dogs' home and our financial condition is very sound.

I am pleased to state that the Government has introduced the humane method of killing sheep and goats in the abattoirs of the Colony. By courtesy of the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon, I was permitted to witness a demonstration of this method at the Kennedy Town Slaughter House. This method was first introduced to the Society by Sir Henry Pollock in November, 1922, as the result of his enquiries while in England.

Our Inspector and members of the committee have regularly visited the premises where live animals and birds are kept and also wharves and steamers where animals are landed. Much still remains to be done in order to reduce the cruel conditions which are now permitted at the landing places and in transport. I should like to quote a resolution put to a meeting held on October 1, 1933, when it was resolved that the Secretary should write to the Colonial Secretary asking that a European policeman be detailed for duty during the landing of cattle, and that the Water Police be requested to exercise supervision over the transfer of cattle taking place in the harbour.

In connection with this, we are very grateful to Lieut. Ervine-Andrews for his helpful notes and the time he devoted to this work. Our Inspector's report on the prevailing conditions with regard to the carriage and transport of animals illustrates a state of affairs now existing that I can only describe as being very distressing to all animal lovers, and we hope that in the near future much will be done to improve matters and bring us into line with other countries regarding the transport and handling of live animals and birds.

#### Other Activities

Continuing, Mr. Russell referred to the Society's wireless concert, articles in the Press, pamphlets, Busy Bees' bridge and mah jong drive, cabaret and dance, and thanked all those who had done much to make the functions the successes they were. In connection with the cabaret and dance, he thanked the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels for their generous consideration and courtesy.

The President then went on to say that those present would be pleased to learn that the Society had applied for affiliation with the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, London, and he had every reason to believe that their application would be favourably received, and that the local Society would receive the benefit of their co-operation. It had also been suggested that an affiliation of all Societies similar to the local Society in the Far East might be arranged in order that concerted action may be obtained in their common aims in respect to improving the conditions of birds and animals in transit.

They hoped that this year would see the introduction of a more comprehensive ordinance for the prevention of cruelty to animals. In this Ordinance, which is somewhat similar to the present law in force in Singapore and the F.M.S., meets with the approval of the Hong Kong Government, the result would fully justify the efforts out forward. They were greatly indebted to Sir Henry Pollock for his active interest in this part of the work.

#### The New Dogs' Home

Referring to the new Dogs' Home in Kowloon City, the President ex-

pressed thanks to all those who assisted the Society in connection with the Home, especially Mr. Leslie Ross, honorary architect, Mrs. Loseby, for her untiring duties at the Home, and Major Hogg, for his honorary services as veterinary surgeon.

The Essay Competition for Boy Scouts and Girl Guides, seemed to have lost a little of its enthusiasm and he prevailed on the Scout and Guide leaders to form a sub-committee and to co-operate with representatives of the Society. The essay helped with their Friend to Animal Badge.

In conclusion, Mr. Russell mentioned that the financial drive, owing to the Colony depression, had not been quite so successful as in former years. In this connection he would like to suggest that this method of obtaining money was becoming very troublesome and that some other method be considered. Flag days and other suggestions had been made but he preferred to leave the matter in the hands of the new committee.

The report and account of the year was read and carried unanimously.

#### Officers Elected

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

President—Sir Henry Pollock; Vice-president—Mr. F. H. Loseby; Secretary—H. M. Crockle; Treasurer—G. R. Ross.

Committees:—Lady Pollock, Lady Clara, Ho Tung, Miss C. Angus, Miss Finlay, Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. Hogg, Mrs. Hayden, Mrs. Jefferies, Mrs. Loseby, Miss I. Phelps, Mrs. de Martin, Mrs. M. N. Roffey, Mrs. Agassiz, Mrs. Hogg, Mrs. M. K. Lo, Miss Mackenzie, Mrs. Malcolm, Mrs. Maunder, Miss Smalley, Mrs. Mrs. McAvoy, Messrs. J. H. Bottonley, W. B. Finnigan, F. G. Maunder, H. J. Perrin, G. K. Jones, D. Davies, Ervine-Andrews, R. A. D. Forrest, C. W. Jefferies, S. W. Ko, R. Pestonji, H. B. Rouse, J. Russell, M. P. Tuliati, Dr. Yeo and Professor Roffey.

#### DONATIONS

##### Sir William Peel Fund

The following are the latest donations received for Sir William Peel Fund for the Protection of Children:

Previously acknowledged \$17,418.60

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Donations will be gratefully acknowledged by the Hon. Treasurer:—

Mr. A. McKellar, c/o Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co., P. & O. Building, Mr. Kwok Chan, c/o The Banque de L'Indo-China, Queen's Road Central.

#### PIRATES LEAVE THEIR HIDING PLACE

##### Shipping Warned

Information has been received that two important members of the gang of pirates who were alleged to have pirated the s.s. Tungchow, have left Blas Bay for Swatow or Amoy and all shipping plying on the China Coast are warned of their movements and to take adequate precautions.

#### ALLEGED ASSAULT BY HUSBAND

Wong Hop, of 20 Saigon Street, is at present detained by the Police after the removal of his wife to hospital in a critical condition suffering from wounds in the head said to have been inflicted by him. It appears that the couple had

## KWANGTUNG SCHEMES

### Foreign Interest In Contracts

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, May 29.

Foreign firms in Canton are keenly competing for contracts for various construction and industrial projects envisaged by the Three-Year Plan, which is to turn Kwangtung into a model province.

The latest scheme is to build a hydro-electric power station at Yung River in north Kwangtung at a cost of about \$11,500,000. By damming the river and utilising the water power, electricity can be produced for the use of the whole province at very low cost.

Another project requiring similar amount of money is the construction of an iron and steel works, so that in the event of war or blockade Kwangtung may not depend upon these metals from other countries.

All these projects are under the charge of the Provincial Department of Reconstruction, which is planning to erect other factories for producing paper, fertilizer, liquor, petrol and insect powder. Such plants require foreign machinery and engineering skill.

Government ownership of industry, is popular and practicable in Canton. The provincial authorities can raise big capital to start these ventures, and can monopolise the field in order to ensure profits.

## IMPORTANCE OF CANTON

### As Centre Of Civil Aviation

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, May 29.

Canton is becoming more and more important as the centre of civil aviation of the Far East, for in the near future passenger and mail planes from this city will reach Europe in eight days and the United States in 72 hours.

Under the existing scheme, all mails and passengers from China for Europe and America will start at Canton, which is connected with Hankow, Peiping and Shanghai by two other air lines. In short, mails and passengers between China and abroad have to pass through Canton first.

The Pan-Pacific Airways will shortly maintain an air service between Canton and San Francisco via Manila, Guam, Wake and Midway Islands and Honolulu. The American Government has given every facility to inaugurate this line, which touches at American possessions all the way except the Canton terminus.

If service between Canton and Europe will be undertaken by connecting with the Canton-Lungchow line operated by the South-western Aviation Corporation, a local government concern, and the Hanoi-Marseilles service. Between Lungchow and Hanoi there is a strip of 100 miles to be covered by bus or train.

At present all mail and passenger service between South China and Europe goes via steamer from Hong Kong to Singapore or Saigon, the entire sea and air trip lasting fourteen days.

Hong Kong is up to now kept out of this international network of air lines, although mails and passengers from that British Colony can come here for transshipment for Europe and America.

Suggestions have been made that the Imperial Airways should extend its line from Singapore to Hong Kong, but nothing has yet materialized. Obstacles to such an extension are not exactly known.

Planes to Canton can land either in the civil airports here or on the Pearl River. The American planes from San Francisco will probably land on water at the same location as the Canton-Shanghai line.

been living at that address for some time and yesterday morning neighbours were awakened by cries for help. Police whistles were blown and it was then found that the woman had been badly assaulted with a chopper. The trouble, it was stated, was due to domestic differences.

## MAIL NEWS FROM CHINA

### THE DRUG EVIL

#### In Demilitarized Zone

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Peiping, May 18.

A horrifying drug situation in Changli, was exposed by Miss Muriel Lester, founder of Kingsley Hall Settlement House, East London, who has just returned from a visit to Changli city where she stayed with missionary friends. In a press interview, she referred to the present situation in that city and its surroundings, particularly with respect to the drug problem.

It is an obvious fact, she said, that in the "demilitarized" zone, the sale of opium and its derivative drugs is rapidly increasing, and that tons of "Manchukuo" opium, heroin and morphine are inundating North China.

The "demilitarized" zone created by the terms of the Tangku Armistice in 1933, originally includes 22 "hsien" with a total area of 120,000 square li, the population of which a numbers about 7,000,000. Chinese peasants and small merchants, who suffered losses totalling above \$100,000,000 during the Japanese invasion in 1933. The special administration in the zone is composed of Chinese officials nominally appointed by Peiping. Ten of the 22 "hsien" are under Tao Hsiang-Ming, Special Commissioner at Tanhsien, and 12 are administered by Yin Ju-Ken, Commissioner at Tungchow. Both gentlemen are fluent in Japanese.

#### HEROIN SHOPS

Heroin and morphine shops are established throughout the entire area, ruled by Tao and Yin, even in villages of less than 1,000 population. In Chinwangtao, chief sea port north of Tientsin, and largely built up by British interests, 33 heroin and morphine "hongs" freely operate. In Shanhaikuan, just inside that Great Wall, there are more than 50 heroin and morphine "joints." In Laotung, with a population of only 30,000, there are over 200 establishment dealing in drugs.

Miss Lester's report dealt only with the city of Changli, which has a population of 400,000 distributed over an area of 800 square miles. Changli was described as being by no means the worst example that could have been chosen. It just happens that Miss Lester had the opportunity there of coming into direct touch with the drug evil and took that opportunity to ascertain precise and authenticated facts.

#### NARCOTIC DRUGS

In spite of tremendous efforts made by Chinese authorities within the city of Changli itself, to prevent the setting up of establishment wherein narcotic drugs are purveyed, one such establishment has been set up by a Korean and the authorities can do nothing because the man enjoys extraterritorial status. Outside the city walls, however, and in many cases clinging to them like parasitic growths, have been set up 162 of these drug shops openly engaged in the traffic and protected by extraterritoriality, the proprietors of 116 of these being Japanese and of 46, Koreans. This is not an underground thing, but carried on in the full light of day. In many cases the Chinese authorities hesitate to touch even the Chinese customers, who claim "protection" from the police, sometimes under "certificates" and "poster" issued by the Japanese. In many instances Japanese authorities have tried "anti-Japanese boycott" in trumped up protests against Chinese attempts to close dope "joints" or arrest addicts.

The mere statement of figures from Miss Lester's report, conveys no idea of the disastrous effects of the traffic or its menace to the moral and economic life of the district. Only those who see the moral disintegration going on before their eyes, can have any conception of that, but the figures at least serve to point out clearly the extent of the evil.

China United Press (by mail).

### UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the offices of the Great Northern Telegraph Co.: Toyoko, Hakodate; Kasanko, Hakodate; Centrobank Osaka; Stocker Texaco, Shanghai.

### RED SUPPRESSION PLANS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Taiyuan, May 21.

In view of the seriousness of the bandit situation in northern Shensi near the Shansi border, General Ho Ying-Chin, Minister of War and Acting Chairman of the Peiping Branch Military Council, has paid a visit to Shansi. General Hsu Yung-Chang, Chairman of the Provincial Government, as well as over 2,000 representatives of various schools and civic organizations were at the railway station to welcome the distinguished visitor, when he arrived here yesterday from Peiping via Shihchiachuang. General Yen Hsi-Shan was host at a dinner reception given in honour of General Ho last evening, and practically all high officials and educational leaders were present. This morning General Ho inspected Shansi provincial troops at a military review specially arranged.

Interviewed after the dinner last night, General Ho emphasized that the special purpose of his trip to Shansi was to discuss with General Yen Hsi-Shan detailed plans for the complete suppression of Communist bandits on the Shansi-Shensi border so that the people there may carry on their daily occupation in peace.

#### SMALL FORCE

Most of the villages in Shensu, Fuku and Tuanhsien in northern Shensi have for some time past been under the control of the Reds. General Ho explained, and the Communist hordes under Liu Tse-Tan and Shih Wen-Hua are the strongest hands in the section. Only recently, General Ho pointed out, a small garrison force stationed at Wungyapao, midway between Chingkuo and Antung, encountered a large horde of bandits, and sustained some losses. If the brigands in northern Shensi are not immediately suppressed, their baneful influence may extend to an even wider area.

China United Press (by mail).

### PROGRESS IN WEST CHINA

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Shanghai, May 23.

Mr. Bang How and Mr. T. S. Miao, officials of the Chinese Reception Committee to the American Economic Mission, who accompanied the visitors on the major portion of their trip through western China, returned to Shanghai yesterday.

They stated, in an interview, that the members of the mission enjoyed many conferences with members of municipal governments, chambers of commerce, and bankers' associations, and had been taken on industrial tours during the course of which they were able to gain considerable first-hand information regarding methods of business and manufacture in the various cities. Throughout all the meetings the finest spirit of co-operation reigned.

In discussing items of general interest, the Reception Committee members stated that municipal and railway construction are proceeding at an almost unbelievable pace. The railway, they said, has reached a high degree of efficiency. There are no hardships nowadays in making pleasure trips in China, and it is this fine transportation, which will enable the produce of the interior to find its way to outport markets.

"The bounties of the future for this region cannot be overestimated," they concluded.

China United Press (by mail).

### ANOTHER ABUSE TO GO

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Nanking, May 22.

The National Government has issued a circular order eliminating yet another kind of official abuse. During the transitional period, the order states, when a high Government official has received an order of dismissal or transfer from his incumbency, but has not yet handed over charge to his successor, he is strictly forbidden to make any new appointments or dismissals in his office.

Similarly, during the transitional period, the officials concerned are strictly prohibited from altering the financial appropriations of his office, or setting free criminals without going through the normal legal procedure.

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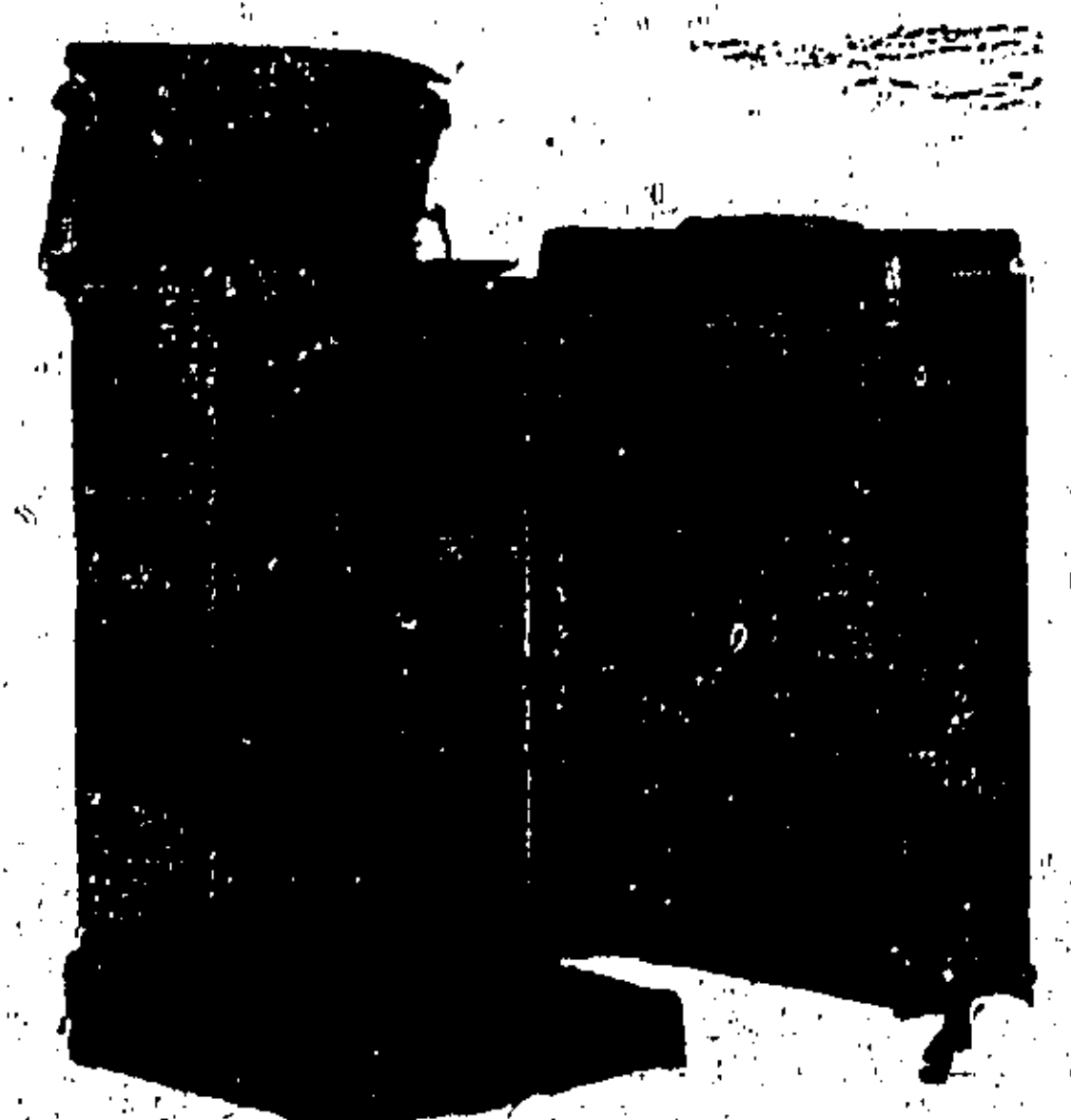
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SHEUNGSHUI  
MURDERFurther Details Of  
Crime

Further details are to hand regarding the dastardly murder committed by a band of three armed robbers on a 60-year-old Chinese male at the Kau Tau Village near Takuling in the Sheung Shui district on Tuesday night.

It appears that shortly after 8 p.m. three armed men entered the deceased's dwelling by an unlocked door. Two of the marauders were armed with revolvers while the third had a dagger. The old victim was pulled out of bed and subjected to rough treatment. He was threatened with revolvers, and as one man kept guard over him the other two ransacked the house and stole money and property to the value of \$60.

While all this was going on the old man never moved or said a word and despite his non-resistance the robbers wantonly shot the man down in cold blood before decamping.

The locality of the place was inaccessible to traffic and it was a little later that the police went to the scene by foot to make enquiries after a report had gone through. Despite the early arrival of the police the robbers had made good their escape and a description of the wanted men were quickly circulated to all stations. Special police were on the lookout and search parties were sent out to all vantage points.

There have been no developments in the police investigations up to a late hour last night.

ALL READY TO  
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The Normandie

London, May 29. A city of three thousand inhabitants, many miles of streets, and all the equipment of a most luxurious Riviera pleasure resort is the best description of the liner Normandie which is sailing from Le Havre to New York to-night on her maiden voyage.

The Normandie is the first electrically driven ship to cross the Atlantic and generates enough power to run all the London underground railways in the rush hours.

At the last minute thousands of workmen were arranging furniture and laying carpets in the saloons adorned with crystal cages of tropical birds and aquariums, but no sea sickness which will suffer from sea-sickness on board ship will be seen.

Thousands of people will dine simultaneously in a cubist dining room of blue grey glass and variegated marble.

The kitchens are two acres in extent. The store rooms are loaded with the choicest French wines and viands and also two hundred delicacies specially suited to American taste from buckwheat to sauerkraut cocktails.

The builders guarantee that the Normandie is fireproof and that if a fire should start anywhere it is impossible for it to spread.

"HARDBOILED  
JOB"Judge Helmick's  
Decision

Peiping, May 29. Judge Helmick announced that he hopes to name the American Oriental Banking Corporation liquidator within twenty-four hours and put him in possession of the Bank with instructions to do the "hardboiled job."

He added that a calm but searching investigation will be made into every phase of the debacle. "The Court does not consider technical banking experience a very important job," said Judge Helmick, "and from now on it is one of banking but of salvage... Liquidation will be conducted as economically as possible with the single view of conserving and collecting as much as possible of the pay of depositors."

## FAILURE OF THE N.R.A.

## Reactions On Industry

Washington, May 28. Amid the confusion of the capital figuratively strewn with the wreckage of the New Deal's No. 1 experiment, the administration abandoned all attempts to enforce the N.R.A. and appealed to business to observe its rules voluntarily, and then sought, in a series of hurried conferences, to chart its future course.

While there was not the slightest hint of what President Roosevelt intends to do, the impression prevailed that he was determined to re-establish in some legal manner the principles of collective bargaining, minimum wages and maximum working hours, as well as the abolition of child labour, with a view at least to preserving the broadest objective of the N.R.A.

While observers speculated on the possibility of President Roosevelt addressing the country soon by radio, the question of what industry will do is naturally upmost. Industrial leaders are generally agreed that the N.R.A. decision will have many stimulating new adverse effects on immediate business and the future.

CHANGE WELCOMED. In some industries, notably the automobile industry retail trade, the initial reaction indicated clearly that it was welcome. In a few, notably the textile, coal, and fertilizer industries, where elaborate provisions of code control were built up, there appeared the fear of the resumption of price-cutting and wage-slashing, with the resulting unsettlement of prices.

The general feeling in most fields seemed to be that, the elimination of the N.R.A. restrictions would make but a slight difference, and that industries could return to the pre-code basis with little difficulty. However, no hurried abandonment of the prevailing practices is anticipated.

The leaders of individual industries were generally loath to make a statement formally, but so far as is available the cross-section of opinion is as follows:

STEEL INDUSTRY. Although the leading steel men have been strongly in favour of continuing the N.R.A., they do not appear to be unusually disturbed by the decision. Privately, several insisted that the decision would not upset the situation to any extent, so far as the large companies were concerned. They admitted that there might be some

price shading among the smaller producers, as consumers would again shop around for the best quotations. However, they were confident that there would be no resumption of large-scale price-slashing. Some consumers, unless they were urgently needing tonnage, might conceivably keep from the market for the time being, until the effects of the decision were clarified.

OIL INDUSTRY. The major oil executives are of the opinion that the Petrol Code is to all practical purposes dead, but that with the existing tight State law the inter-State oil compact, which awaits only Congressional approval, together with the Connally Law, will be perfectly sufficient to preserve the stability of the industry. On the other hand part of the Thomas Oil Bill, at present pending in Congress, which would extend the Federal regulation of production, is considered probably to have been likewise outlawed by the decision.

COTTON AND TEXTILES. The first reaction was disappointment, with fears of the possibility of a disastrous outbreak of price-cutting; but this is not general, some, notably those previously resenting the N.R.A. control, expressing the opinion that it will be beneficial in the long run. Cotton and textile interests will shortly meet with a view to determining the full effects, and to prepare a new plan to be submitted to the industry.

AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY. The automobile industry, which suffered impaired profits owing to the sharp increases in labour and material costs under the N.R.A., will probably derive some gains from the decision, which, moreover, will not be offset by the loss of any competitive advantages, as the Automobile Code did not control provisions.

The continuation, substantially, of the present course with regard to wages, working hours and working conditions is expected in all the major industries.

The copper industry is likely to agree to continue the most important parts of the Copper Code, principally those dealing with the curtailment of production and the stabilisation of the market. Most producers are agreed that the code has been beneficial.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF  
IRISH FREE STATEAbolition Planned By  
Mr. de Valera

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")  
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Dublin, May 29. Total abolition of the post of Governor-General of the Irish Free State in the near future is announced by the president, de Valera in the Dail Eireann where de Valera added that this measure would entail the modification of certain parts of the Free State constitution. The position is, a spokesman pointed out, that the present Governor-General's functions have been rendered almost grotesque and could be carried out by any junior clerk.

Political circles here stress that with the suppression of the governor generalship, the remaining formal link between the Irish Free State and the British Crown will be removed.

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## NAVAL ARMAMENT

## Anglo-German Discussions

London, May 28. The first meeting between the German and the British Naval representatives will take place in London on Tuesday, June 4th. The purpose of these informal conversations, as of the earlier conversations with representatives of other Powers, is to exchange information and views as a preliminary to any more formal negotiations that may take place later with view to the conclusion of an international agreement for the limitation of naval armament.

—British Wireless.

CULINARY ART IN  
RUSSIA

## Rigorous Examinations

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")  
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Moscow, May 29. Soviet cooks will all have to pass examinations in culinary art conducted by a special Government commission according to a decree passed by the peoples commissariat for home trade. The exact reason of this measure is not given, but it is generally understood to be due to the numerous complaints published in the papers by the workers who take their meals in public canteens and kitchens maintained by the commissariat for home trade. Examination are now in full swing in Moscow with devastating results among the personnel of the Soviet capital's kitchens. Forty per cent of the chief cooks were found to be incompetent and dismissed their posts by the examining commission, which was stated to be very strict and include a number of doctors among its ranks, while thirty per cent of other cooks were placed in the lower category or put to washing up dishes. Courses of instructions will now be instituted it is understood with the object of raising the standard of cooking.

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ADMIRAL DREYER'S  
MOVEMENTS

Welshpool, May 29. Admiral Sir Frederic Dreyer, aboard H.M.S. Kent, and Lady Dreyer, aboard H.M.S. Falmouth, arrived here this morning.

Other vessels here are the Cornwall, Berwick, Hermes, Adventure, Capetown, Folkestone and two destroyers.

—Reuter.

## NEWS SUMMARY

Barney Ross, former lightweight and welterweight boxing champion, regained the world welterweight title by defeating Jimmy Glavin. Page 10.

The activities of the Hong Kong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals were reviewed at the annual meeting yesterday. Page 7.

The formation of a Hong Kong Rifle Association has been mooted and proposals have been made for submission at a meeting next Tuesday. Page 10.

Training Times taken at the Valley yesterday will be found on Page 11.

Five men were convicted yesterday on a charge of conspiring to commit an armed robbery, their arrest being a sequel to the discovery of an accidental clue. Page 6.

At Kowloon Magistracy yesterday a Chinese was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment for possession of arms on board a junk. Page 6.

The second round of the British Women's Golf Championship provided a round of surprises, three champions being beaten. Page 10.

REMEMBERED  
ON BIRTHDAYRetired Admiral Of  
Chinese Navy

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Berlin, May 29. Lieutenant Commander Ernst Kretschmar, who for many years saw active service in the Chinese Navy where he rose to the rank of rear admiral, was the recipient of many congratulations from all parts of the world on the occasion of his 80th birthday which was celebrated on Tuesday at Luebben near Berlin, where he is living in retirement. Kretschmar, who had studied torpedo warfare as his speciality, went to China in 1884 with the permission of the German Admiralty and entered the Chinese Navy where he was active for many years as "torpedo professor," training officers in torpedo and mine laying technique. He retired in 1896, returning to Germany, but went back to China two years later to deliver three armoured cruisers built in Germany for the Chinese Government. He subsequently served again at various times with the Chinese Navy, definitely retiring in June 1914 with the Chinese rank of admiral.

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NOTICE.  
H.M. THE KING'S BIRTHDAY  
REVIEW.

THE Public are hereby notified of the following traffic arrangements which will be enforced on the occasion of the King's Birthday Review on June 3rd, 1935:—

1.—Motor cars conveying officials to the ceremony at the Cenotaph will be stopped at the junction of Des Voeux Road Central and Jackson Road where the officials will alight and proceed to the Cenotaph via Jackson Road. The cars will then be sent via Des Voeux Road Central and Wardley Street to Chater Road, west of the Statue where they will be parked.

2.—From 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. no vehicle will be permitted to travel in an easterly direction in Queen's Road between Morrison Street on the west and Hong Kong & Shanghai Bank on the east.

3.—From 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. motor traffic travelling East along Queen's Road West will be diverted by way of Morrison Street into Des Voeux Road Central.

4.—From 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. all streets between Des Voeux Road Central and Queen's Road Central from Morrison Street to Pedder Street will be closed to south bound vehicular traffic.

5.—Between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 Noon vehicles will not be permitted to park in Connaught Road Central (between Pedder Street and Murray Road); Chater Road, East of Queen's Statue; Wardley Street, North of Queen's Statue or in Jackson Road.

6.—No vehicular traffic will be permitted in Murray Road and in Connaught Road Central between Pedder Street and Murray Road between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 Noon.

7.—Jackson Road will be entirely closed to spectators and Pedestrian traffic (except to officials attending the ceremony) from 9.45 a.m. until H.E. the Officer Administering the Government and officials have left the Cenotaph. Spectators other than officials attending the ceremony, who arrive after 9.45 a.m. and wish to view the ceremony from the vicinity of the Hong Kong Club will proceed on foot via Murray Road.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE BALL.  
The traffic arrangements for the Reception at Government House on the night of June 3rd, will be as follows:—

1.—From 9 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. motor traffic travelling from the Peak to town or Government House via Magazine Gap Road on reaching Garden Road will be diverted along Robinson Road and down the Albany. On reaching Upper Albert Road motor traffic to the town will continue west and down Arbutnot Road. Motor traffic to Government House will proceed east along Upper Albert Road.

2.—From 9 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. all east bound motor traffic on Canal Road other than motor vehicles proceeding to Government House will be diverted down Arbutnot Road.

3.—From 9 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. all east bound motor traffic on Robinson Road will be diverted down the Albany.

Owner driven cars will park in Kennedy Road.

No car will be permitted to park in Government House Garage or grounds. Chauffeur driven cars will park on Murray Parade Ground where a special telephone to Government House will be installed. Guests requiring their cars should give the numbers of their cars to the Police Officer on duty at Government House steps.

Sedan chairs and rickshaws will set down their passengers at the main entrance to Government House in Upper Albert Road. These vehicles will not be allowed inside the grounds of Government House except in the event of heavy rain.

D. BURLINGHAM,  
Inspector General of Police.  
Hong Kong, 30th May, 1935.

THE EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTRAL-  
ASIA & CHINA TELEGRAPH CO., LTD.,  
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FROM June 1, 1935, and until  
further notice, Mr. Laurence  
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Company's Hong Kong Branch.

H. G. BATTISCOMBE,  
Manager.

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## NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Plain Dealing Company (1934) (in Chinese known as "大公公司") having failed to publish the 7th issue of the monthly magazine of this Chamber pursuant to the contract entered into on the 21st day of March, 1934, this Chamber have cancelled the said contract appointing the Plain Dealing Company (1934) as the advertising managers and publishers of its monthly magazine.

This Chamber itself will, as from this date, publish the said magazine, and its former representative, Mr. T. M. Ho is henceforth authorised to secure advertisements and Mr. Yek Jue Lam to collect the advertising fees.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1935.

THE CHINESE CHAMBER  
OF COMMERCE,  
CHAN PING AU,  
Secretary.

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## NOTICE.

WEST AND EAST  
FELLOWSHIP  
(FOR WORLD PEACE AND SOCIAL  
SERVICE)

IT is proposed to hold a meeting to extend the activities of the above-mentioned institution and to merge it into a new organization to be established on JUNE 1st, PEACE DAY, 1935. It is sincerely hoped support will be forthcoming. All who are interested please send their names and addresses to, or correspond with

The Secretary,  
WEST & EAST FELLOWSHIP,  
40, Hillwood Road, Kowloon.  
Hong Kong, 27th May, 1935.

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Offices, P. & O. Building on Tuesday, the 4th June, 1935, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1934. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed on Saturday, 1st June, to Tuesday, 4th June, 1935, both days inclusive.

DOUGLAS LAIRDALE & CO.,  
General Managers.  
Hong Kong, 22nd May, 1935.

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PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be HELD at the HONGKONG HOTEL, Hong Kong on TUESDAY, the 11th June, 1935, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Reports of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30th April, 1935.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, 1st day of June, to TUESDAY, the 11th day of June, 1935, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,  
General Managers.  
Hong Kong, 23rd May, 1935.

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY  
CLUB.

THE SEVENTH EXTRA  
RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 1st JUNE, 1935, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 2.00 p.m.

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 27th May, 1935.

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THE "GLEN" LINE,  
LIMITED.

CONSIGNEES and Owners of Cargo are hereby notified that commencing with the M.V. "GLENAMORY" which is expected to arrive at this Port on or about June 1st, all Cargo on "GLEN" LINE VESSELS, outward bound, will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, and not into the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co.'s premises as heretofore. While at Holt's Wharf, cargo will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,  
Agents, "GLEN" LINE, LIMITED.  
Hong Kong, 27th May, 1935. [3562]

THE PEAK CHURCH,  
HONG KONG.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of WORSHIPPERS will be held in the Cathedral Hall on THURSDAY, May 30th, 1935, at 5.30 p.m.

H. W. BAINES,  
Hon. Secretary.

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## The Daily Press.

Hong Kong, May 30, 1935.

## SINGAPORE'S DEFENCES

By contributing £500,000 to the naval strength of His Majesty's Dominions, the Sultan of Johore has shown a princely tact as well as a princely generosity in his Jubilee gift. The amount is no small sum, even in the gigantic total of £7,700,000 which is allotted for that great work, the defences of Singapore, for it would almost double the year's expenditure of the Admiralty which this year has set down £592,000 under that heading. Apart from this laudable gesture, the Sultan of Johore has also contributed the site of the naval dockyard, a piece of land which, considering its situation, must be of enormous value.

As regards the Singapore defences. They are, by the way, an encouraging example of what can be done by the free co-operation of various parts of the British Empire. Towards the cost of the base, and apart from the gifts already mentioned, no less than three and a quarter millions sterling have been contributed by the Federated Malay States, New Zealand and Hong Kong, of which sum the States have given two millions and New Zealand one million. Australia, of course, stands outside the scheme for the reason that she supports her own naval squadron and her own naval base. It is hoped, however, that this noble example is more widely followed in the self-governing Dominions, for equality of giving and equality of sacrifice, might well go along with equality of status. The Malay Princes, like the Indian Princes, show upon every useful occasion a touching loyalty which takes so practical and so generous a shape as to leave no doubt of its depth and its sincerity. H.M.S. Malaya, built in 1916, which is still one of the finest ships in the Navy, is one of these tangible tokens, and this latest gift of the Sultan of Johore is another. The whole Empire, of which Singapore is so important a nexus, will be affected by this signal act of generosity.

## HARBOUR COLLISION

A collision in the harbour between the Kowloon Godowns steam launch Gannet and cargo boat No. 942V near the Godowns at about 6.15 p.m. yesterday was fortunately not of a serious nature. In his report to the police, Yau Tai, coxswain of the launch, stated that while he was on his way from the godowns to the Yaumati typhoon shelter the cargo boat got in his way and received a glancing blow on the port side, causing slight damage to it. There were no injuries to the persons on board both crafts.

SOVIET BUYS DUTCH  
VESSEL

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO FIND A NEW FORMULA

### To Prolong The Benefits Of The N.R.A.

#### WORKERS DEMAND CODE HOURS AND WAGES

Washington, May 29. The Administration is absolutely determined to maintain the national reforms and improved standards for workers achieved under the National Recovery Administration Act.

The workers also demand continuation of N.R.A. hours and wages under threat of strike. Many industrial leaders have announced that the N.R.A. hours and wages will not be changed, but retail prices of books, drugs and cigarettes have been drastically cut in a number of towns, especially New York and Boston, and wholesale buying is almost at a standstill in many cases.

It is understood that President Roosevelt has instructed the Department of Justice to do its utmost to find a new formula whereby the benefits of the N.R.A. can be prolonged constitutionally.—Reuter.

A complete re-study of all the big administration measures, including the Agricultural Adjustment Act and the amendments to the Utilities Holding Company Bill and the Social Security Bill, to determine their constitutionality in the light of the Supreme Court's decision, has been ordered by the Congressional chiefs, while the Democratic leaders have decided to mark time.

President Roosevelt and his advisers are seriously taking stock of the situation, but it is generally agreed that there is no prospect of immediate action. The political leaders pointed out that the powers of the President to make codes being held to be unconstitutional would make impossible the task for Congress to enact legislation providing codes in each industry.

The National Labour Board and the Relations Board have virtually suspended operations pending the determination of future policy. The leaders of the Senate and the House of Representatives conferred with Mr. Henry C. Wallace, United States Secretary for Agriculture, and decided on the complete re-writing of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration amendments in order to conform with the Supreme Court decision.

**STRIKE HINTS**

Federation of Labour officials met to map out policy and hinted darkly at strikes. Meanwhile President Roosevelt remained mute, but it was stated at the White House that when the President has completed his survey he will speak out, probably later in the week.

### ACCEPTANCES FOR DERBY

#### Fox To Ride The Favourite

London, May 29. The following are the final acceptances with probable jockeys for the Derby, to be run on June 5:

Field Trial	(Djick)
Plymouth Sound	(No jockey)
Japetus	(No jockey)
Robin Goodfellow	(Weston)
Peaceful Walter	(No jockey)
St. Botolph	(No jockey)
Fair Haven	(Perryman)
First Son	(Jones)
Screamer	(A. Wragg)
Assignment	(Steve Donoghue)
Sea Bequest	(E. Smith)
Theft	(H. Wragg)
Bahram	(Fox)
Halran	(Gordon Richards)
Fair Balm	(C. Smirke)
Pry II	(Beary)
Barberry	(Nicoli)

Bobsleigh was accepted but subsequently scratched.—Reuter.

#### BOBSLEIGH SCRATCHED FROM THE DERBY

London, May 29. Lord Derby's Bobsleigh was scratched from the Epsom Derby shortly after noon to-day.

The colt was regarded as a doubtful runner in the great classic next week. He was cantered over five furlongs this morning and went very feelingly when he was trotted out. He displayed similar symptoms when he was trotted out last evening. Trainer Leader told Reuter then that "Bobsleigh is not so good and must now be regarded as a doubtful runner."—Reuter.

### SUPPRESSION OF OPIUM

#### New Legislation In China

Nanking, May 29. The reorganisation of the whole machinery for suppressing the narcotic evil and appointment of General Chiang Kai Shek as Inspector General of Opium Suppression was decided at to-day's Central Political Council meeting.

The existing legislation regarding suppression of opium, and the National Suppression Commission under Jiang Liu are to be abolished and new legislation drafted by the Inspector General on the basis of the regulations hitherto promulgated by the National Military Affairs Commission of which General Chiang Kai Shek is the Chairman.

The twentieth chapter of the revised Criminal Code dealing with narcotic offences has been suspended while the new legislation is in force.

Although little is known of the nature of the new legislation, it is believed that it will probably embody features of the six-year prohibition scheme which was communicated to Geneva some time ago.—Reuter.

#### THE OAKS

London, May 29. The acceptance for The Oaks are as follows: Buchanan, Merry Maid, Corrida, Irish Lassie II, Coronel, Fox Lair, Light Tackle, Sunkies, Solerina, Ankaret, Fair Etonian, Indira, Cotadazur II, Solar Star, Hyndford Bridge, Papyrette, Quashed, Blue Girl, Clere Story and Mesa.—Reuter.



Gen. Hugh Johnson, former head of the N.R.A., which is now declared to be legally without authority.

### LONDON SILVER OPINION

#### N.R.A. Bombshell

London, May 29. Financiers here are of the opinion that the N.R.A. bombshell is not likely to have a permanent effect on silver.

America has not bought silver for at least three weeks, while the franc crisis places her under an obligation to buy gold.

Owing to this cause the present tendency to weakness in silver is regarded as a normal phase.

The market is essentially speculative and responsive to every rumour that goes about.—Reuter.

#### SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, May 29. London silver prices to-day were down 3/4 as follows:—

	May 28	May 29
Spot	33-11/16	32-15/16
Forward	33-15/16	33-3/16

London on New York cross rate at 2 p.m. to-day was 4.9425 compared with 4.9487 at closing yesterday.

### REACTION IN MARKET

#### Nervousness Over French Crisis

London, May 29. Continued and extreme nervousness regarding the outcome of the French monetary crisis was reflected to-day by further acute weakness in "forward" francs.

The comparative steadiness of "spot" francs is ascribed to heavy intervention by British control.

The fact that the franc has not reacted more sharply to yesterday's bank rate action is attributed mainly to official disclosure of this week's gold losses amounting to over three milliards francs which are substantially more than expected, and while the banks' huge holdings will not be materially depleted, it is obvious that such a drain must exercise a powerful effect on French public opinion.

City circles are convinced that even if the French Government's demand for plenary powers is approved by the Chamber, any relaxation of pressure following therefrom will be only temporary.

The real crux of the situation remains to be the Treasury shortage of cash, the replenishment of which is only rendered more expensive by higher interest rates.—Reuter.

#### BANK INVITATION

Shanghai, May 29. It is authoritatively learned that the directors of the National Industrial Bank in China have invited Mr. T. D. Woo to assume the post of acting general manager owing to illness of Mr. Liu Ti Chih, general manager. Mr. Woo is at present the general manager of the Treasury Department of the Central Bank of China (which is a Government appointment) and will hold the new post concurrently with the present one by consent of the Minister of Finance.—Reuter.

## IMPENDING POLITICAL CRISIS

### Sensational Rumours In Chamber Lobbies

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Paris, May 29. Sensational rumours of an impending political crisis spread like wild fire late on Tuesday night through the Chamber lobbies where reports that the right wing fighting organisations under the leadership of General Weygand and the former Prefect of Police, Chiappe would be placed in a state of alarm on Wednesday and that the Marxist "Common Front" would likewise mobilise its adherents was circulated freely.

According to other reports, M. Flaminio in view of the hostility of the majority in the Chamber and his own unsatisfactory state of health, is intending to tender his resignation while others again attribute a similar intention on the part of the Finance Minister, Germain-Martin, whose declarations of Tuesday in the unanimous opinion of the Press met with an extremely cool reception.

Meanwhile Marxist groups in the Chamber, which are strongly opposed to the special power of the government, are negotiating with a view to formation of a united front in the Chamber to which numerous Radical Socialists, who are known to be likewise hostile, might eventually adhere.

M. Laval and the President of the Chamber, Bouisson still continued to be mentioned as Flaminio's possible successor.—Transocean Kuo Min.

#### CLOUDY ATMOSPHERE

Paris, May 29. The atmosphere was by no means cleared up by the Finance Minister, Germain-Martin's speech on Tuesday to judge by the views expressed in parliamentary circles on the conclusion of the session. The minister is accused of having concealed the real facts of the situation, contenting himself with generalities and technical details instead of revealing the actual figure of the budget deficit and state of the country's finances.

Great mistrust is also displayed by many deputies as to the scope of the authoritative powers as well as how they will work out in practice and the finance committee who have to make a report on the bill on Wednesday is credited with the intention of demanding further details regarding the measures contemplated under these powers. In general a very pessimistic outlook prevails in responsible quarters where the situation is regarded as extremely critical.—Transocean Kuo Min.

#### SITUATION STILL GRAVE

Paris, May 29. The danger of the cabinet crisis owing to the financial situation is still considered to be grave by the press on "Wednesday morning," whose opinion, however, is divided as to the Government's empowerment motion.

"Wanting to overthrow the Government one ought to know beforehand the combination that will succeed it," declares "Petit Parisien" which is one of the papers supporting the government. An unbiased observer leaving the chamber after Tuesday's session, the paper says, was under the impression that the people there wanted a smash up of things out of sheer joy of destruction. Numerous deputies and an overwhelming majority of senators believe that M. Flaminio supported by M. Hottel, will master the crisis, continues the journal, asserting that Flaminio as an expert in financial and budgetary questions is the right man in the right place.

"Excelsior" on the other hand, says that the opinion of all parties except the Republican Union is either divided or strongly opposed to the empowering act. "Petit Journal" continues to open the propaganda in favour of devaluation with the argument that the Bank of France is handing over "good gold in exchange for bank notes."—Transocean Kuo Min.

#### ATTITUDE OF GROUPS

Paris, May 29. Members of the various Left groups met this morning to discuss the situation on the whole atmosphere which is unfavourable to the Government.

The Radicals decided to wait and see what the Government is

really asking for, while the Socialists, Neo-Socialists and Communists are opposed to granting plenary powers, and the Left Centre is uncertain.—Reuter.

### MENACE TO SECURITY OF THE FRANC

#### French Bill To Meet The Crisis

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press") (Copyright.)

Paris, May 29. The draft of the law introduced by the Finance Minister, Germain-Martin in the Chamber on Tuesday consists of a single article with the following text: "The Senate and Chamber deputies transfer authority to the Government till December 31, 1935, to take all appropriate measures for effecting the reorganisation of public finances and the revival of industrial activity, the defence of public credit and the maintenance of currency. The decrees to this end, issued by the Cabinet, will be submitted to the Chamber for ratification before July 31, 1936."

In a speech introducing the Bill, the Finance Minister pointed out that the situation was now so grave that immediate steps were necessary, the events of the last two weeks having resulted in a reduction of gold reserves in the Bank of France by three milliard francs. Although the gold reserves could put up resistance for a considerable time owing to their great extent, the continuance of the present movement could menace the security of the franc if the French Government did not resolve to put a stop to the manoeuvres by certain circles who doubted its courage. Determined to maintain the French currency, the Government has now asked Parliament to give them the corresponding power.

**BUDGET DEFICIT**

International speculators who had attacked the currencies of one gold bloc country after the other, were defeated by the counter measures taken by Holland and Switzerland and they had now turned their attention to the franc.

The question had been raised why the speculators believed the franc to be a favourable target since, in spite of the continuation of the world crisis, the economic situation in France gave no ground for anxiety, many signs of improvement, in fact, being noticeable. It was true, however, that the prospect was marred by one shadow: despite the efforts of many years the budget deficit had not been removed. A country with so many resources at her disposal as France could easily bear a budget deficit of a few milliard francs, but the repeated occurrence of the deficit resulted in the load of public debt becoming more and more pressing till finally an atmosphere of distrust was created and thereby a menace to currency. In the budgets for 1930 to 1934, a deficit totalling 27,617 milliard francs had arisen. "Such indebtedness had necessarily led to new loans being made, thus making the situation worse."

**METHODS INEFFECTIVE**

Referring to the efforts made by previous Governments to organise finances, Germain-Martin pointed out that purely technical methods had already been applied, but they had not sufficed to prevent the outflow of nearly three milliard francs in three days. What was wanted was the pacification of public opinion which needed evidence that the Government was determined to take energetic measures.

After dealing with the reasons that made the devaluation of the franc useless as a solution to the problem, the Finance Minister declared that the settlement of the budget problem, though indispensable, would not suffice for the reorganisation of the country's finances. A number of authoritative measures were required in addition, and therefore the Government demanded powers exceeding those purely concerned with finance.

On conclusion of his speech, Germain-Martin read the text of the new bill whereupon the session adjourned.—Transocean Kuo Min.



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### GERMAN NAVY DEMANDS

#### London Conference

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Berlin, May 29. The commencing date for the naval conference between Germany and Britain is fixed for June 4 in London according to a statement issued by a semi-official news agency here. The German delegation which is under the chairmanship of the special commissioner for disarmament, Von Ribbentrop, will leave Berlin for London at the end of the present week.

The probable trend for the forthcoming parleys as well as German plans and intentions as regards naval rearmament is indicated by the press comments on Wednesday morning. Britain's need of adequate naval security had been recognised by Chancellor Hitler, says "Lokalanzelger," adding that the Chancellor also stressed Germany's wish to prevent a recurrence of conflict with Britain. The basis of the forthcoming nations, however, declares the paper, can only be the settlement that will give Germany full equality rights and security.

The need for security on both sides is equally great although conditions are different declares "Berliner Tageblatt," pointing out that Germany claims equality "not in order to increase armaments senselessly but in view of the requirements of real security and without the slightest intention or prospect of disturbing the sleep of even one solitary Englishman."—Transocean Kuo Min.

### REFORMS IN POLAND

#### Right To Elect Senators

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received, May 29, 7.30 p.m.)

Warsaw, May 29. The Polish Government bloc's committee for constitutional reform have now completed their deliberations on the projected electoral reforms and it is stated in informed quarters that the committee have decided to considerably modify the bill originally proposed by the government providing that the senate should henceforth be "elected," rather than by a democratic body.

According to the original bill the rightful electors would have been the prerogative holders of certain orders or of the occupants of certain public offices or of persons otherwise distinguished by adequate public service. This "aristocratic principle" is now entirely dropped according to reliable information which states that the committee of the new proposals provided that every Polish citizen who had completed secondary school education shall have the right to elect the senators.

The plenary meeting of all government groups of the SEIM senate will be held on June 1 for the purpose of approving the three reform bills concerning the election of the president of the republic respectively, which bills will be submitted to the parliament.—Transocean Kuo Min.

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## A HONG KONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION?

### Proposals For Forthcoming Meeting

#### DETERMINED EFFORT TO REVIVE INTEREST

In connection with the meeting which is being called for on Tuesday next, at 5.45 p.m. in the Board Room of the South China Morning Post, we understand that the proposals which will be laid before those attending, will be on the following lines:—

Membership of the proposed Association will be of two kinds, viz: "individual." In the case of those who do not, or cannot, belong to any of the Rifle Clubs existing in the Colony at the present time, while any such Club which cares to become affiliated as such to this Association, will be given a number of free individual memberships in proportion to the amount paid as the affiliation fee. It will therefore be seen that there will be no interference, of any kind, with any existing Rifle Club and that it will be possible for the Association to select representative teams for the Colony to shoot in such events as the Interport shoot and for the Inter-Colonial events at the Bisley Meeting at home. As regards membership this will be restricted to the Services, ex-Servicemen, Volunteers, (providing they have been returned efficient here or in some other part of the Empire for a specified period), Police, Police Reservists and ex-Reservists who have received the Police Reserve Silver Badge and to those who, being employed on Government Service, are not eligible to join any of the afore-mentioned Forces.

The business of the Association will be conducted by a Council which will consist of representatives of the Forces already referred to, plus a representative from each affiliated Club and not more than two persons who will look after the interests of the individual member. It will thus be a strictly impartial body, favouring no particular branch or arm of the Service or indeed any "Service" at all.

In addition to the Council, Committees will be chosen to deal with

the local "Bisley" Meeting, etc; and to compile and publish annually, the Year-Book of the Association.

#### OTHER PROPOSALS

Other matter which will come up for discussion at the meeting will include the provision of a Pavilion for the members, the holding of an annual dinner, the possibility of inviting the Interport teams from Singapore and Shanghai to come to Hong Kong so that the match may be fired shoulder-to-shoulder, on one selected range the provision of an Association blazer and the supply of "404" rifles which, under the latest N.R.A. regulations, may now be used for all "S.R.B." events at Bisley.

#### DETERMINED EFFORT

It will therefore be seen that a determined effort is to be made to revive interest in rifle-shooting in this Colony, and that this is being done in such a way that no existing organisation will be interfered with, as regards its internal affairs and organisation. In other words, the proposed Association will, to a very large extent, exist as a co-ordinating body, having for its objects not only the encouragement of rifle-shooting, but the selection of teams for all those events which are open to the Colony as such.

In view of the remarks which were made at the meeting held last week regarding the future of the Volunteers, when more than one speaker referred to the absence of any organisation for the encouragement of rifle-shooting, as regards the representation of the Colony at Bisley, it is to be fervently hoped that all who have been to one or more of the N.R.A. meetings, or who wish to attend in the future, will, in common with all those who are keen on this form of sport, make a special effort to be present at the meeting next Tuesday.

## BILLIARDS

### The Empire Title

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
Owing to the crowded nature of the programme, the billiard season is being prolonged beyond its usual term. One of the most interesting events of all remains to be played in the British Empire Amateur Championship, which will take place at Burroughes Hall, in Soho-square, instituted in 1926, the tournament has proved very popular, in whichever country it has been played, but it may not have attracted quite the attention it really deserves.

As the title implies, the event is open to all the countries belonging to the Empire, and the endeavour naturally is to select the best amateur players of the time to represent their respective countries. The difficulties which have to be faced in bringing together representatives from the Dominions are considerable; and it is unfortunate that, on the present occasion, neither Australia nor South Africa has been able to participate in the event in an active way, although no doubt the progress of the event will be followed with great interest.

The championship this year will be confined to the four players representing the British Isles, and a young player from Calcutta, as the representative of the India Billiards Association. This is Pratyush Krishna Deb, who has won the amateur Championship of India, and obviously is a good player. To supporters of the game in London, the best known of the competitors is H. F. E. Coles, who won the amateur championship, and is considered to possess a very good chance of following that success with a victory in the Empire event. Wales will be represented by I. Edwards, who has won the Welsh championship twice; Scotland by J. McChie, a player of much experience and probably the best amateur player in Scotland; and Ireland by B. Penning, an

other competitor with much experience of the keen competitive game.

#### SOUND METHOD

The sound method is adopted of playing the championship on the American tournament system, so there can be nothing in the nature of a fluke, which may occur in a knock-out competition. Each game will consist of four two-hour sessions, representing two days' play, so that ten games will be decided. The order of play is:—

May 13 and 14.—Scotland v. England.  
May 15 and 16.—Irish Free State v. India.  
May 17 and 18.—Scotland v. Wales.  
May 20 and 21.—England v. Irish Free State.  
May 22 and 23.—India v. Wales.  
May 24 and 25.—Scotland v. Irish Free State.  
May 27 and 28.—England v. Wales.  
May 29 and 30.—Scotland v. India.  
May 31 and June 1.—Wales v. Irish Free State.  
June 3 and 4.—England v. India.

This will be the sixth time the championship has been decided. It is played every other year. It was first won by J. Earlam, for England, but on the next occasion when it was played in London again a big surprise was caused by the success gained by A. Prior, who won the trophy for South Africa. Then Australia's representative, L. Hayes, was successful in Johannesburg, but England regained the trophy when L. Steeles won all his four games, while S. Lee, who went to Sydney as our second string, was beaten only by Steeles. It was during that visit that Steeles made a break of 491, an unfinished, which stands as an amateur record. Unhappily Steeles had to relinquish all active participation in the game owing to ill-health. When it was last played two years ago in London, Lee won the event easily, following his success in the Amateur Championship. Lee then turned professional, but is just as keenly interested in the event.

## CRICKET IN SHANGHAI

### K. Campbell Bats Well

Shanghai, May 28.  
The Shanghai Cricket Club held another practice match yesterday afternoon between eleven captained respectively by W. C. G. Clifford and A. Lingard, and the fair sized gathering of spectators present were especially interested, as this was Clifford's first appearance with the club after an absence of eight years. He delighted the onlookers with a masterly display of batting, showing that he had far from lost the old touch, and contributing 34 runs towards his victorious side's 208 without being out. The opposition were able to score but half that amount.

The winners opened with Wood and Robertson; the latter, a new man, showed very good style, and scored a boundary and two singles before sending Scott's ball straight to Hegarty's hands at mid-on. His former partner made a short stand with Read, but he too succumbed to a beautiful high one-hand catch by Lingard (2-38). Pforten was given a chance to bowl in relief of Hill, but he was badly off form, sending down six wickets in only two overs. It was Foster-Kemp's unlucky day for, in taking a run, he almost knocked himself out in a collision with the wicket-keeper. His recovery took several minutes after which he was again unfortunate to receive a ball from Pullen in the stomach. He was shaken up rather badly but carried on and after Read was clean bowled by the latter, he too fell to Hart's sure hands at mid-off.

A good combination, Wilson and Campbell, played the frequently changed bowling, but eventually Hill took the former's off stump to dismiss him at 35 (5-130). Tiffin and Stius very shortly followed, and the cheering was loud as W.C.G. Clifford walked across the field to take his stand. He at once showed well to advantage, and the score had mounted to 183 before Campbell scored his fiftieth run with a boundary and then retired. Clifford went on to receive most of the bowling, and the two century mark was passed, before Davis and Sayle were eventually skittled out to end the innings. All Lingard's bowlers were given a chance, but two wickets was the maximum. Foot being the best for a score of 25.

The other side's performance was not very effective, and runs were taken only in a desultory fashion, though the bowling was certainly not to be treated too lightly. Pforten was the first to go from a catch by Davis off Tiffin's fourth ball, but before Hill was clean bowled by Wood, the score had reached 42 and three deliveries later, Findlay, with the best score of his side, (24), was dismissed by Scott. Wickets then began to fall at regular intervals with very slow increase in the score. Orr made a vain effort to the pile on the runs and managed to accumulate 18 before Wilson got his leg stump. A last minute stand was made by Lingard and Hart, and although the latter was given a couple of lives with missed catches, he remained long enough to pull the score past the century mark before succumbing to Wilson's smart catch.

#### W. C. G. CLIFFORD'S XI.

T. H. Wood, c. Lingard, b. Hill 18  
C. H. W. Robertson, c. Hegarty, b. Scott 6  
A. J. Read, b. Pullen 24  
R. B. Foster-Kemp, c. Hart, b. Hegarty 18  
K. Campbell, retired 50  
P. J. Wilson, b. Hill 35  
R. J. Tiffin, b. Foot 1  
E. J. Stius, lbw. Foot 1  
W. C. G. Clifford, not out 32  
J. B. Davis, b. Orr 11  
J. D. Sayle, b. Findlay 6  
Extras 8

Total 208

Bowling  
O. M. R. W.  
Foot 9 1 25 2  
Scott 8 2 38 1  
Hill 10 0 38 2  
Pforten 2 1 19 0  
Findlay 6 0 23 1  
Hegarty 4 0 18 1  
Orr 4 0 21 1  
Pullen 4 1 14 1  
Lingard 6 3 16 0

#### A. LINGARD'S XI.

P. Pforten, c. Davis, b. Tiffin 14  
J. G. Findlay, b. Robertson 24  
E. J. Hill, b. Wood 5  
J. T. Hegarty, b. Robertson 8  
K. Foot, c. Wilson, b. Wood 8  
J. Pullen, c. Tiffin, b. Robertson 6  
R. F. Scott, c. Read, b. Sayle 4  
J. Wilkinson, lbw. Tiffin 1  
H. E. Orr, b. Wilson 18

## WOMEN'S GOLF SURPRISES

### Many Champions Beaten

Newcastle, May 29.  
Three champions were beaten in the second round of the British Women's Golf Championship. Miss Park, beat the holder, Mrs. Holm by two up and one to play. Miss Ferguson beat the English champion, Miss Wade by two up. Miss Pamela Barton, runner-up last year, beat the Irish champion, Miss Sherlock by three up and two to play.

In the same round Miss Tiersan, conqueror of Miss Fishwick, beat Miss McCulloch, Scottish champion three times, by seven up and five to play.

Miss, Wanda Morgan, former English champion, beat Miss Brown of Argentina by two up and one to play.

In the third round Miss Pamela Barton beat Miss, Francine Tollen, the French champion, by four up and two to play.

Miss Tiersan was beaten in the third round, Miss Mervyn Barton winning one up.

Reuter.

#### WELTERWEIGHT TITLE

### Barnev Ross Stages A Comeback

New York, May 29.  
Barnev Ross, former lightweight and welterweight boxing champion, beat the Irishman, Jimmy Glavin, on points in a fifteen round fight on the polo grounds and regained the world welterweight boxing championship.

Forty thousand enthusiastic fans saw Barnev Ross win nine rounds with a terrific attack in which he used both fists without mercy. McLarin won the second and fourth rounds and broke even in the other four rounds.

The decision, which was given by the former heavyweight champion, Jack Dempsey, did not please a section of the crowd and this displeasure was shown by continued booing soon after the decision was announced.

Reuter.

#### R. AND A. GOLF CLUB

### Mr. Boase Elected Captain

London, May 14.  
The election of Mr. W. Norman Boase to be captain of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews does honour both to the town and the club. Mr. Boase is equally well-known as a golf legislator and civic administrator, for he has been chairman of the Championship Committee since its inception in 1920, and is also in his third term of office as Provost of St. Andrews.

Despite a serious illness in recent years, Mr. Boase will assuredly inspire the caddies with such respect for his driving that they will cluster well beyond the road crossing the first fairway when he plays himself into office next September.

#### LAWN BOWLS

### Nish and Holland Lose In Pairs

At the Club de Recrelo yesterday afternoon, R. Duncan and L. A. R. Duncan were leading H. Overy and F. Goodwin by 9 shots to 2 at the sixth head, when rain prevented further play. The match will be resumed next Tuesday afternoon.

L. Glendinning and W. Glendinning beat H. Nish and A. M. Holland by 21 shots to 16 in a very close match played at the Kowloon Dock Recreation Club. Though there was a slight fall of rain during the game, it was not interrupted at all.

P. J. Hart, c. Clifford, b. Wilson 5  
A. Lingard, not out 6  
Extras 9

Total 104

Bowling  
O. M. R. W.  
Tiffin 9 2 14 2  
Sayle 5 1 33 1  
Robertson 5 0 12 3  
Wood 5 0 25 2  
Wilson 4 1 10 2  
Stius 3 0 4 0

## U. S. BASEBALL

### Tigers Trounce The Yankees

New York, May 28.  
Cincinnati Reds, in one of the two games played in the National League, upset Babe Ruth's Braves to the tune of 13 to 4.

In the American League, Detroit Tigers trounced the Yankees, while Philadelphia Athletic, Cleveland Indians and the Cardinals got home by the closest possible margin.

The following were the results as cabled by Reuter:—

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E.
Philadelphia	1	8	1
Pittsburgh	3	11	1
Boston	4	11	0
Cincinnati	13	18	0

Owing to rain the following two matches were postponed:—Brooklyn Dodgers v. Chicago Cubs and New York Giants v. St. Louis Cardinals.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E.
Chicago	5	8	0
Philadelphia	6	10	1
Maroon, Higgins and Johnson	homered for the Athletics		

	R	H	E.
Detroit	8	12	1
New York	3	4	0
Greenberg and Rogell each scored two home runs for the Tigers and Bill Dickey homered for the Yankees.			

	R	H	E.
Cleveland	5	11	0
Washington	4	12	1

	R	H	E.
St. Louis	6	13	0
Boston	5	11	1

(Bejma homered for the Browns and Werber for the Red Sox).

#### SPIN BOWLING OF PERFECT LENGTH

Cricket that had many dramatic changes was again the order at Lord's to-day when the match between Middlesex and Lancashire was resumed. Yesterday each side completed an innings, and Lancashire, having lost first innings points, began their second venture this morning 22 runs in arrears.

In less than two hours, however, the Champion County were dismissed for 78 and Middlesex go in after lunch requiring no more than 57 runs to win.

The first blow was struck by Hulme. The Arsenal footballer shared the attack with Smith and, bowling from the pavilion end, Hulme dismissed three batsmen—Watson, Ernest Tyldesley and Hopwood—in his first 15 deliveries for six runs.

Even more dramatic was the cricket when Robins went on at Hulme's end at 52. The goosy bowler got Washbrook caught with his fifth ball and in half an hour the next five wickets fell for 23 runs. Robins, mixing his break and flight in a high wind, captured four of them and, sending down 27 balls, he had the remarkable figures of five wickets for ten runs.

The collapse was in the main due to the inability of the Lancashire batsmen to cope with perfect length spin bowling.

WORCESTERSHIRE v. SUSSEX  
Great hitting by Melville was the feature of the pre-lunch period of the second day's play of the Worcestershire v. Sussex match at Worcester. The Sussex captain joined Parks (J.) on the dismissal of Langridge (John), after a first-wicket stand which realised 104 runs. In an hour's batting Melville had 55 runs to his credit, including a six, which nearly broke a pavilion window, and seven fours. With Parks (J.) batting stolidly, Sussex were in a commanding position at lunch.

#### FOUR TENNIS STARS TO VISIT CHINA

Tokyo, May 15.  
Four leading tennis players of Japanese universities will visit Shanghai and Tientsin this summer at the invitation of Japanese tennis clubs in these two cities.

The clubs' invitation was to-day accepted by the Japan Lawn Tennis Association, which selected Jiro Fujikura of Meiji University, who represented this country in the 1934 Davis Cup matches, and Fujii and Kuramitsu of Kansai University to make the trip.

The four players will leave Japan in the middle of July, remaining in China for a month.

## HOME CRICKET RESULTS

London, May 28.

Lancashire, contrary to expectations, were beaten at Leicester in their County Cricket fixture. Shipman (92) and Prentice (93) placed Leicester in a good position in the first innings and the County made a wise decision in making an early declaration which left Lancashire with 230 runs to make in order to win. Geary accounted for the downfall of the champions, taking 5 wickets for 34. Lancashire scored only 73 and were thus beaten by 129 runs.

Surrey, Northants and Notts had to be satisfied with first innings points.

The following were the details as cabled by Reuter:—  
Surrey beat Gloucestershire on the first innings at Bristol.

Surrey: 338 and 243 for 8 dec.

Gloucestershire: 308 and 190 for 8.

Leicestershire beat Lancashire by 129 runs at Leicester.

Leicester: 375 (Shipman 92, Prentice 93) and 89 for 7 dec.

Lancashire: 242 (Iddon 124) and 73 (Geary 8 for 34).

Northamptonshire beat Glamorgan on the first innings at Kettering.

Northants: 329 and 157 (Bake-well 89).

Glamorgan: 174 (Clark 5 for 47) and 134 for 3.

Nottinghamshire beat Somerset on the first innings at Nottingham.

Notts: 459 (Heane 101, Window 137) and 124 for 3 dec.

Somerset: 330 (J. Lee 91) and 30 for 0.

#### PARLIAMENTARY GOLF

### Prince Of Wales To Take Part

London, May 14.

The Prince of Wales has entered for the Parliamentary golf handicap, the initial rounds of which will be played at Walton Heath next Saturday.

This is his fourth appearance in the event. His opponent is a clerk in the House of Lords.

In the final two years ago the Prince was beaten by Mr. George Lambert, whose age was then 67. Mr. Lambert forgot to enter this year.

The holder is Sir John Simon, who beat the Earl of Carrick in the final last year. They are drawn together in the first round this year.

The Foreign Secretary has been practising hard for the event.

#### Woman M.P.'s Debut

For the first time in the history of the competition more than

#### MATCH POSTPONED

Owing to the unfit state of the Hong Kong Cricket Club ground, the tennis match between the home team and the South China A.A. was postponed.

one woman M.P. has entered. Lady Astor has been a regular competitor for years and has twice reached the semi-final.

The newcomers are Miss Irene Ward and Miss Thelma Cazalet. Both will play off 24. Lady Astor's handicap is 18.

Ministerial entrants, in addition to Sir John Simon, include Sir Thomas Inskip, Sir George Penny, Mr. Douglas Hacking, Captain Austin Hudson, Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Captain Euan Wallace and Sir A. Lambert Ward, who for years has organised the event.

The crack entrants are Colonel Moore-Brabazon, General Critchley and Lord Brocket (formerly Mr. Ronald Nall-Cain).

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## TRAINING GALLOPS

## Times Taken At The Valley

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	tance	Gr.	Gr.	Gr.	Gr.	Gr.
Southern Cross	1	35	1.03.2	1.30.1		26.4
Flying Tourist	1	37.4	1.14.2	1.50	2.23.4	33.4
Night Star	1	40.4	1.16.4	1.50.2	2.20.3	30.1
Invermark	1	48	1.29.2	2.02.4		33.2
Hetman	1	40	1.16	1.48.4	2.19	30.1
Bolnak Star	1	35	1.07	1.37	2.04.2	27.2
Bright Star	1	40.2	1.18	1.51.4	2.22.2	30.3
Winkfield	1	40	1.18.3	1.53.3		35
Strathairn	1	38.4	1.18.1	1.52.3		34.2
Cold Morning	1	40.2	1.18.3	1.51.2	2.21	29.3
Tiny Star	1	34.1	1.08.4	1.42.2	2.14.2	32
Alacrity	1	42.1	1.21.3	1.59	2.28.2	29.2
The Deemster	1	37.3	1.13.3	1.48		34.2
King's Warden	1	38.1	1.16.1	1.53.2	2.28.1	34.4
Racing Boy	1	36.4	1.13.2	1.47.3	2.19	31.2
Solar Star	1	37.3	1.13.3	1.49.3	2.22	32.2
Valley View	1	36.1	1.11.1	1.46.1	2.18.4	32.3
Valorous	1	36.1	1.10.1	1.42		31.4
Goldsmith	1	30.2	58.4	1.26.2		27.3
Racing Lass	1	34	1.05	1.35	2.03.2	28.2
Streamline	1	30.4	1.01.1	1.27		25.4
Touchstone	1	41.2	1.20.2	1.56.4	2.29.4	33
Fi-Fa	1	41.2	1.20.2	1.56.4	2.29.4	33
Double Chance	1	45	1.23.3	1.58.4	2.28.3	29.4
In Good Time	1	45	1.23.3	1.58.4	2.28.3	29.4
Emergency Call	1	45	1.23.3	1.58.4	2.28.3	29.4
Spinaway	1	35.1	1.09.1	1.41		31.4
Gold Flicker	1	43.1	1.13	1.57.2		32.4
Coppersmith	1	37	1.11.2	1.44.4		33.2
Flamingo	1	48.3	1.28	1.57.2		31.2
Don	1	48.3	1.28	1.57.2		31.2
Limelight	1	38.2	1.12.2	1.44.1		31.4
Young Chap	1	38.2	1.12.2	1.44.1		31.4
Partnership	1	37.1	1.15	1.49.2		34.2
Got That	1	36.4	1.10.3	1.37.1		26.3
Bonny Dundee	1	48.3	1.30.1	2.05	2.35	30
Gold Coin	1	48.3	1.30.1	2.05	2.35	30
Pavane	1	34.3	1.06.1			31.3
Mersey	1	36.2	1.11.3	1.44	2.18.1	34.1
The Rain Gauge	1	36.2	1.11.3	1.44	2.18.1	34.1
Blacksmith	1	36.2	1.11.3	1.44	2.18.1	34.1
Forget-Me-Not	1	35.4	1.07.1			31.2

The following gallops were clocked on Tuesday morning, May 28, 1935.

The Chetah	1	33.4	1.06.2	1.37.2		31
Pride of Tsingtao	1	46	1.25.3	2.01.1	2.31.4	30.3
Fybynight	1	34.2	1.07.1	1.40	2.13	33
Sylvandale	1	34	1.07	1.38.1		31.1

## ASIATIC SOCIETY'S GOLD MEDAL

Presentation To Sir  
Denison Ross

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 10.  
The Royal Asiatic Society's triennial gold medal, which was founded at the time of Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee to honour exceptional distinction in Orientalism, was presented yesterday afternoon at the society's rooms by the Persian Minister to Sir Denison Ross. The president, Professor Margoliouth, was in the chair.

The Persian Minister said that the coveted distinction conferred by the society on Sir Denison Ross was well deserved and could not have been more appropriately bestowed. The recipient had a heart of the same metal as the medal. He was a man of the world, and his fortunate lack of insularity was probably due to the fact that he had studied and travelled in so many different lands. Paying tribute to Sir Denison's versatility and warm contact with humanity, the Minister alluded to the fact that he had taken part in the Firdausi celebrations in Persia, and yet reached London in time to participate in the Firdausi week in this country. He seemed to have some of the magic carpet of the Arabian Nights. In outlining his services to scholarship the speaker dwelt in particular upon his attachment to Persian studies and his directorship of the School of Oriental Studies in Finsbury Circus since its establishment in 1918.

Sir Denison Ross said that he had genuine feelings of unworthiness to be included in the list of distinguished holders of the gold medal; but he could say that he had used every endeavour to keep alive the torch of Oriental studies in England and in India, and he had set or helped many younger men on the road to better ends than it had ever been within his powers to achieve. Speaking of his indebtedness to Edward Cowell and Edward Granville Browne he said that the name of the latter would live long in Cambridge, and he did not think it could die in Persia. He knew of no other European whose name had become such a household word in an Eastern country. He could only think of Robert Hart in China and Cromer in Egypt; but the basis of their reputations was quite other, and was not in any way connected with the religion or letters of those countries.

## NEW COLOURS

Presentation By  
Duke

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
An assemblage of several thousand, among whom were several old Chelsea pensioners in their picturesque uniform, greeted the arrival of the Duke of Gloucester at Inkerman Barracks to-day, when he attended to present new colours to the 2nd Battalion the Royal Warwickshire Regiment. The summerlike weather almost equalled that of Monday.

The battalion mascot, a beautiful little antelope—an antelope is the regimental badge of the Warwickshires—led by two of the youngest members of the battalion, headed the troops as they marched on to the sports ground.

The Duke of Gloucester, who came by road in a closed car, was attended by Gen. Sir Robert Whigham, colonel of the regiment, Lt.-Col. T. E. H. Taylor, and other officers, to the saluting base, where he was received with a Royal salute. After the troops, and the guard had been inspected, the old colours were trooped, being later handed into the custody of two warrant officers and a detachment of Old Comrades.

Three sides of a square having been formed, the new colours were consecrated by the Rev. E. H. Thorold, Chaplain-General to the Forces. With him were several other chaplains to the Forces.

## AFTER 77 YEARS

His Royal Highness presented the new colours, and, addressing the troops, recalled that the colours to which they had just said good-bye were presented to the battalion at Gibraltar 77 years ago. There were few instances, he said, in the British Army of colours being so long with a battalion without replaced by new ones.

The Duke also referred to the 25 battle honours borne on the colours, and recalled that during the Great War six men of the battalion won the Victoria Cross. He also mentioned that the day almost coincided with the date 50 years ago when Sir Robert Whigham received his first commission.

The general salute having been given to the new colours, the troops marched past in quick time. This movement was followed by a

## INSPECTION TOUR

Canton Mission In  
Nanking

Nanking, May 23.

Headed by Mr. Li Ko-tien, an inspection party of eleven persons from Canton arrived here yesterday. They subsequently called on Mayor Ma Chao-chun.

Interviewed regarding their trip, Mr. Li said that as the first three-year plan of the Kwangtung Provincial Government is nearing completion, they have come to collect data from the principal cities in the country for use in drawing up Kwangtung's next three-year plan. Special attention will be paid to developments in education, reconstruction, finance and civil administration.

Referring to the first three-year plan, he stated that the expenses for carrying out the constructive projects total 393 millions. The plan includes the establishment of 24 factories, of which 20—such as for the manufacture of cement, soda, cotton and woolen goods, paper, charcoal-burners for omnibuses, sulphuric acid, beer and sugar—are now in operation. Preparations for four other heavy industry plants, an automobile factory and the waterworks and electric power plant, are under way.

The funds for these projects, he continued, are mostly derived from the profits from the Cement Works and from the provincial wolftrap monopoly, revenue from the sugar industry, and a grant from the Provincial Government.

## Communications

Turning to communications in Kwangtung, Mr. Li stated that a total of over 37,000 li (more than 12,300 miles) of highways has been completed in the province. A long-distance telephone system covering a distance of 40,000 li (about 13,000 miles) is now in operation.

The Government has allocated \$5 millions for rural rehabilitation, including \$2 millions for the improvement of agriculture and promotion of conservancy work and \$3 millions for the establishment of an agricultural and reclamation company in co-operation with private interests.

With regard to the financial position of Kwangtung, Mr. Li said that the annual revenue totals approximately \$100,000,000, with a deficit of about \$10 millions. As a result of the abolition of over 150 kinds of exorbitant taxes and miscellaneous levies, the Provincial Treasury is suffering an annual loss in revenue of more than \$8 millions.

The itinerary of the present observation party includes Kufow, Tsouping, Tahan, Tsinan and Tsingtao in Shantung; Tientsin and Peiping in Hopei; Kalgan in Chahar; Tatung and Talyuan in Shansi; Shan in Shensi; Loyang and Chengchow in Honan; Hankow in Hupeh; Changsha in Hunan; and Nanchang, Kanchow and Tayu in Kiangsi.

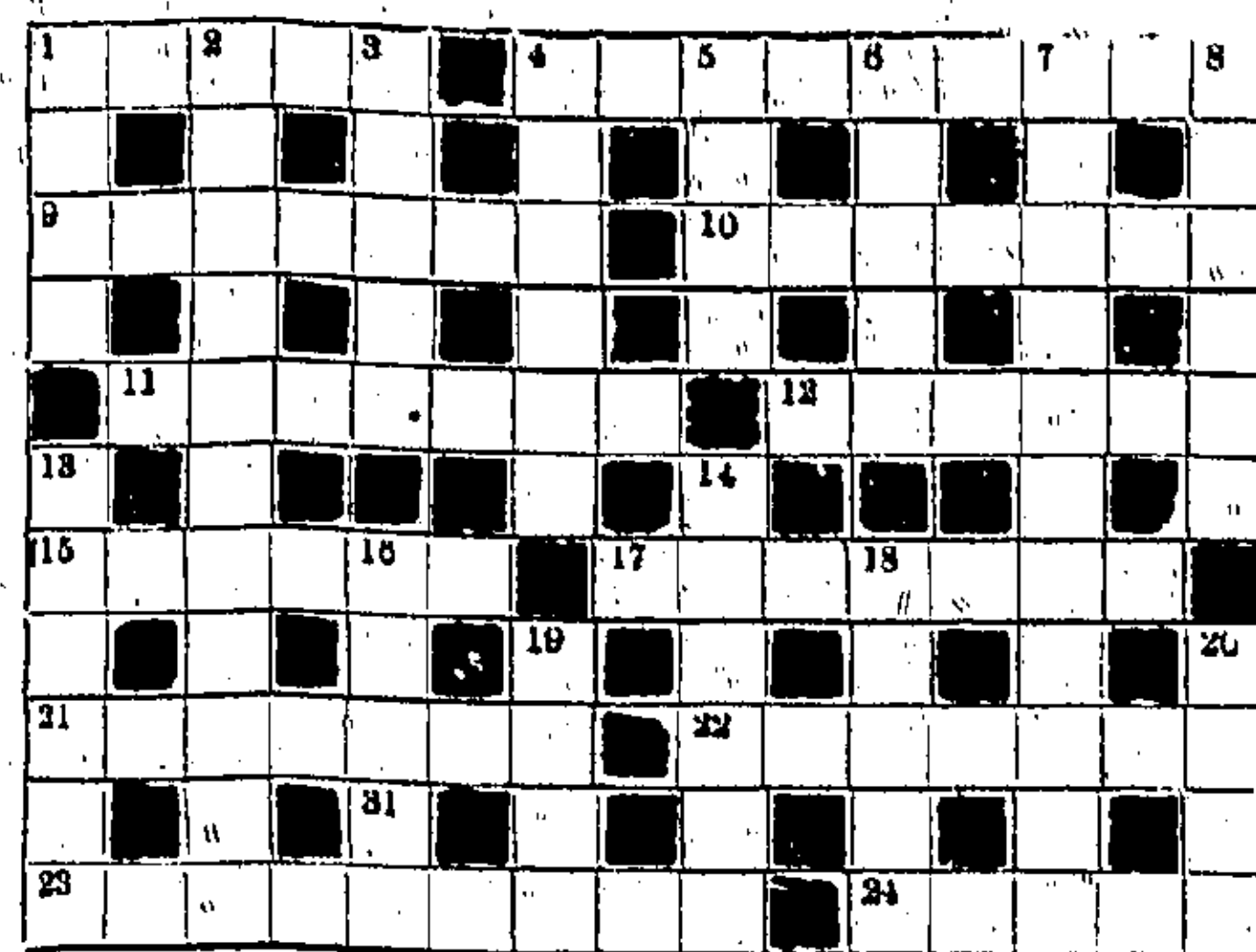
It is learnt at the National Reconstruction Commission that the engineering work on the Hefei-Chaohsien section of the Huainan Railway, in central Anhwei, is to be completed by the end of July. The last section of the line between Chaohsien and Yuchikow, on the northern bank of the Yangtze River, opposite Wuhu Station on the Nanking-Shaan (Kiangnan) Railway, will be ready later in the year.

The Huainan Railway starts from the Huainan coal mines at Lohokow, near Huaiyang, west of Pengpu Station on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, in northwestern Anhwei, and ends at Yuchikow. It is built solely for the transportation of coal. The first section between the coal mines and Hefei is already in operation. Completion of the line will not only greatly facilitate transportation of coal but will also improve communications in Anhwei as through service will be operated with the Kiangnan Railway at Wuhu.

Royal salute and cheers for the Duke, led by Col. Taylor.

His Royal Highness was afterwards photographed with the officers, with whom he had luncheon prior to his departure to Belfast.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



NOTE—Figures in parentheses indicate number of letters in the words required.

## ACROSS

- 1—A word for this kind of money is unsuitable to coin (5).
- 4—It is inclined to scatter hot stuff about but one can keep it in hand (9).
- 9—"Septima" (what a name!) but it appears in this play (7).
- 10—No man could be more attached to a horse than he (7).
- 11—Fraught with destiny (7).
- 12—Term for a troublesome child (4).
- 15—This is given to guarantee (6).
- 17—Here we have communication in accord (7).
- 21—A soldier, not known to the public (7).
- 22—A well-known song for young children (7).
- 23—Enables one to know what is passing through another's mind (9).
- 24—A division in the church (5).

## DOWN

- 1—It's tubular. Keats, in *Endy*, moun writes of "the hemlock" (4).
- 2—Concerning fishing is "a liar's topic" (anagram) (11).
- 3—Don't call this river, in Germany, a large open ditch, true though it is! (5).
- 4—Space completely filled, as opposed to vacuum (6).
- 5—An eruptive spot (4).
- 6—That tired feeling some bored people have! (5).
- 7—These monks had, and still have a name in London, as given to bridge (11).

## A JUTLAND SURVIVOR

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 16.  
Of the ships coming to the Thames the *Valiant* is the only one that was at Jutland.  
In 1922 the *Valiant* was the hero of the Atlantic Fleet.

## KING'S OPENING FRIDAY



The flagship Queen Elizabeth had held the coveted Atlantic Fleet Regatta trophy—a silver cock—for nine years.  
The *Valiant*'s crest is a cock. It glitters on the tampions of all her guns. She wanted the silver cock badi.  
For a year her commander trained all his crews himself. It was through him that the *Valiant* won.  
His name is Captain Guy W. Halifax, and he is now Director of the Signal Department at the Admiralty.  
The captain of the *Valiant* went round the Fleet jubilantly holding the trophy in the stern sheets of his picket boat, while in the bows the ship's Marine band played "Cock of the North."  
Afterwards the captain was promoted and became Naval Secretary to the King. He is now Admiral Sir Frank Larken.

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Hong Kong Stock  
ExchangeSharebrokers'  
Association

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29.				WEDNESDAY, MAY 29.			
Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
Banks							
\$1,010	1,000		212 1/2	H.K. Banks			\$1,000
			214 1/2	Chartered Banks			214 1/2
			231 1/2	Mercantile Bks. "A"			231 1/2
			234	Do. "C"			234
				Bank of East Asia			580
				N. O. & S. Banks	\$4 1/2		
				Am. O. Fin. Corp.			
				Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.			
				Do. Prof. S.			
Insurance							
			\$30 1/2	Canton Insurance		ex div.	\$30 1/2
			\$31	Union Insurance	\$32 1/2	ex div.	90 1/2
33 3/4	ex div.		\$38 1/2	China Fires		ex div.	\$38 1/2
			\$200	H.K. Fires			\$185
			\$4 1/2	International Assoc. S.			
Shipping							
			\$34 1/2	Douglases	\$38 1/2		
			\$4	Steamboats			7 1/2
			\$30	Indos (pref.)			\$30
			\$33	Do. (def.)			\$35
			71 3/4	Shells			72 1/2
			\$11 1/2	Waterboats			\$11 1/2
Mining							
		68 cts	Antanoke	83 cts.			
		\$34	Bugio Gold				19 cts.
		\$1	Benguet Consolidated				\$10
		10 cts	Do. Exploration	10 1/2 cts.	11 cts.		
		10 cts.	Do. Goldfield				
		8 cts.	Big Wedge	7 cts.			
		\$7	Gold Liver				5 cts.
		30 cts	Gold Creek				29 cts.
			United Paracalos				11 cts.
		12 cts	Salacot Mining				
		85 cts.	Ipo Mining				
		30 cts.	Kopons				
		17 1/2	Kailuans				18 1/2
		\$14	Langkats (single) d.				\$14 1/2
		\$14	Explorations S.				\$4 1/2
		\$6 1/2	Sinaghai Loans S.				\$6
14 1/2		\$5	Kaubs	\$4.15			\$2 1/2
			Venezuela Gold Flds.				
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.							
	\$82		H.K. & K. Wharves				
	\$8 1/2		(Cum. Rights)				
	\$4		Do. (Ex. Rights)				\$30
			Do. (Rights)				\$3
70 cts.			Presidents (old)				85 cts.
		30 cts.	H.K. & W. Docks	\$6 1/2			20 cts.
		\$4 1/2	S. China Motors "A"				
			Do. "B"				
		\$110	Shingwai Docks S.				\$110
		\$6	New Engineering S.				\$4 1/2
		\$26 1/2	Hongkew S.				
Lands, Hotels, and Buildings							
			H.K. Hotels	\$4			
			H.K. Lands	\$30		\$30 1/2	
			Do. 4% Debentures				\$100
		\$20 1/2	Saangwai Land S.				
		\$10	Metropoli Land				
		\$4	China Do.				\$4
		\$133	China Do. Debentures S.				
		18	Humphreys				\$7 1/2
			New Asia Hotel				\$35
			Asia Realty "A" S.				
			Do. "B" S.				
		\$90	Chinese Estates				
Cotton Mills							
		\$3.30	Ewos				\$8.10
		\$7 1/2	Shai Cottons (old) S.				\$67 1/2
		\$43	Do. (new) S.				\$44
		\$8 1/2	Zoong Sings				\$9.40
		\$36	Wing On Textiles (S.)				\$36
Public Utilities							
		\$11.60	Tramways				\$11.6
		\$4	Peak Trams (old)			c d	\$4
		\$6	Do. (new)			c d	\$6
		\$7 1/2	Star Ferries				\$7 1/2
		\$40	Yamati Ferries				\$18
			China Lights	\$7.80		8	
\$8	\$8		H.K. Electric	\$58			
\$56 1/2	\$56 1/2		Macao do.				
	\$5	\$23 1/2	Saidsakan Lights				
			Telephone (old)	\$18.90			
\$19		\$6 1/2	Do. (new)				\$6 1/2
		\$11 1/2	China Buses S.				
			Traction S.				
			Do. (pref.)				
Industrials							
		\$4	Malabon Sugars				
		\$18 1/2	Calbeck, (ord.) S.				
		\$13	Macgregors (pref.) S.				
		\$18.80	Canton Ice				\$18.80
			Cements				\$6
	\$6 1/2	\$2	Ropes				\$2
Miscellaneous							
		\$12.80	Dairy Farms				\$12.8
		\$1.85	Amusements				\$2
		\$6.40	Ch. Entertainment	\$5			\$13.30
		\$1.40	Constructions, (old)				25 cts.
		65 cts.	Do. (new)				\$3
		\$2	Lane Crawford S.				\$4 1/2
		\$9	Macintoshes				\$6
		\$8	Nanyang Twines				\$3
		\$31	Various				\$56 cts.
		70 cts.	Wm. Powells				\$1.3
		\$2	M. Greyhounds				
		\$1.35	S. C. Enterprises				
		92 1/2	Ch. S. & 1925 S.B.B.	92 1/2			\$4 1/2
			H.B. Govt. 4 1/2 Loans				
			Do. 2 1/2	2 1/2			
		\$106	Wallace Harper				\$69
		\$5	H.K. Wing On				\$32 1/2
			Shai Do.				
			Vibro Piling				\$34





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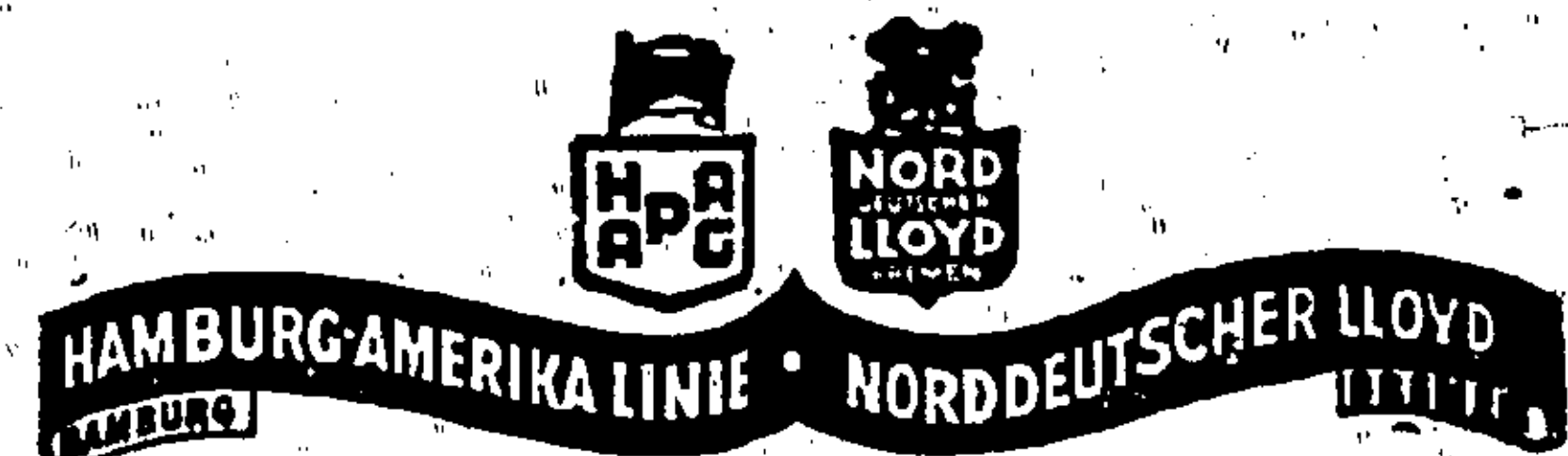
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## THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS

Silver prices dropped yesterday to the extent of 1/4 for Ready and Forward, the quotations being 33-11/16 and 33-15/16 respectively. China sold. India and Speculators bought. The tone at the close was easy due to speculative selling.

In America the rate was lower at 74-1/4 for Spot.

The New York-London cross-rate opened at 493-1/2 and closed at 494.

Market.

Opened with indications of weakness but, subsequently reacted, the tone at the close was steady.

Sterling

There were sellers after the opening at 2/4-11/16, buyers bidding 2/4-3/4 resulting in business at 2/4-3/4 for July followed by transactions at 2/4-3/4 for cash and June. The market then steadied up and there were sellers at 2/4-13/16 for near with business done towards the close at 2/4-7/8 July. The market closed with sellers at 2/4-13/16 May-June and 2/4-7/8 July, buyers at 2/4-17/8 May-June and 2/4-15/16 July.

U.S. Dollars

Business was done shortly after the opening at 59-1/8 for spot, later transactions were arranged at 59-1/4 for June and 59-5/16 for July. The market closed with sellers at 59-1/4 May-June and 59-3/8 July, buyers at 1/8 higher respectively.

Shanghai Dollars

Sellers were quoted at 141-1/2 for near delivery.

Shanghai Market.

Steady. Sellers were indicated near, subsequently the selling rate early in the morning at 1/8-1/4 for rose to 1/8-5/16 for near but closed at 1/8-1/4. U.S. Dollars-Opened with sellers at 41-7/16 and then rose to 41-9/16. Towards the close sellers were indicated at 41-7/16 for near. Steady.

## H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

### YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

In spite of the short session today there was a fair amount of enquiry in the market, and once again H.K. Electric, Telephones (Old), China Lights and Hong Kong Lands monopolised attention. Raubs advanced to 44 on favourable news from the Straits while Hotels continued in steady demand at 4. Both Banks and Unions strengthened on account of the drop in Exchange and were in request at \$1.010 and \$332 1/2 respectively.

#### BUYERS

Hong Kong Banks, \$1.010.  
Union Insurance, \$332 1/2.  
Douglases, \$34.  
Raubs, \$44.  
Providents (Old), 70c.  
Hotels, \$4.  
Hong Kong Lands, \$30 1/2.  
Hong Kong, 4% Debentures 100.  
China Lights, \$8.  
Electric, \$56 1/2.  
Telephones (Old), \$19.  
Singapore Tractions, 10/6.  
Singapore (Pref), 22/8.  
Govt. 4% Loan, 54% Prem.  
Govt. 3 1/2% Loan, 2% Prem.

#### SELLERS

Hong Kong Banks, \$1030.  
Wharves (Cum. Rights), \$82.  
Wharves (Ex. Rights), \$81 1/2.  
Wharves (Rights), \$4.  
Sandakan Lights, \$5.  
Cementes (Converted), \$4.  
Wallace Harpers, \$3.

#### SALES

Hong Kong Lands, \$31.  
Hong Kong Trams, \$11.60.  
China Lights, \$8.  
Electric, \$56 1/2.

### EXCHEQUER RETURNS

Increase in Revenue

London, May 28.  
The Exchequer returns for the current financial year up to May 25 show the total ordinary revenue, excluding self-balancing items, amounts to £87,458,829 as compared with £84,734,575 at the corresponding date last year.

Expenditure owing mainly to increased cost of supply services, has been heavier than the corresponding period of last year. Relative totals of expenditure, excluding self-balancing items, are £105,280,261 as against £98,771,040.

British Wireless.

## LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

On	Sterling Parity	May 27	May 28
Amsterdam	1110 Florins	7.33 1/2	7.31 1/2
Athens	375 Drachmas	522 S.	520 S.
Belgrade	375,316 Dinars		219
Berlin	30 Marks	12.03 1/2	12.27 1/2
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee		29.09 1/2
Brussels	30 Belgas	28.97 1/2	
Bucharest	815,568 Lei		
Buenos Aires	47,583 per Peco		
Copenhagen	16.100 Kroner		
Geneva	20.50 Francs	15.33 1/2	15.30 1/2
Helsingfors	10.50 Marks		
Hongkong		2/5 1/2	2 1/2
Lisbon	110 Escudos	110 1/2	
Madrid	36.25 Pesetas		30 9/32
Milan	92.46 Lire	60 1/2	60 1/2
Montevideo	50.880 per Peco		
Montrreal	4.867 Dollars	4.94 1/2	4.94 1/2
New York	4.867 Dollars	4.95 1/2	4.94 1/2
Oslo	18.150 Kroner		
Paris	124.21 Francs	75 15/64	73 7/32
Prague	164.50 Kronen	119 1/2	113
Rio de Janeiro	28.500 per Gold Milreis		
Shanghai		1/8 5/16	
Stockholm	18.150 Kronor		
Vienna	34.584 Schillings		
Yokohama	\$4.554 per Yen		
Silver (spot)		35 15/16	33 11/16
Silver (forward)		34 3/16	35 15/16
War Loan		3 1/2 105 1/2	3 1/2 105 9/16

### Closing Quotations

On	May 29 1935.	On	May 29 1935.
On LONDON:-		On New York:-	
Telegraphic Transfer...	1/2 1/4	Bank Bills, on demand 88 1/2	
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 1/4		Credit, 90 days' sight, 60 1/2	
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight	2/4 1/2	On BATAVIA:-	
Credit, four months' sight	2/4 1/2	On demand 8 1/2	
On SHANGHAI:-		On YOKOHAMA:-	
On demand 13 1/2		Bank Bills, on demand 88 1/2	
On SINGAPORE:-		Credit, 4 months' sight 83 1/2	
On demand 100 1/2		On SINGAPORE:-	
On JAPAN:-		On demand 116 1/2	
On demand 290		On BANGKOK:-	
On INDIA:-		On demand 78 1/2	
Telegraphic Transfer...	1/2 1/4	SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying	
Bank, on demand 1/2 1/4		Rate	2 1/2
		BAR SILVER, per oz.	33 11/16

## BERLIN BOURSE

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Berlin, May 28.

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Transocean Kuo Min.

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Berlin, May 28.

Reichsmark quotations (without guarantee):-

New York	40.50
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Amsterdam	60
London	12.24
Paris Sterling	75.15
Dollar	15.19

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## SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER

Latest Singapore Prices

BENJAMIN & POTTS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore yesterday for raw rubber.

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Oct./Dec.	22 cts. down 1 ct.

Market - Quiet

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Oct./Dec.	21 1/2 cts. down 1 ct.
July/Sept.	21 1/2 cts. down 1 ct.
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Market - Firm

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Pres. Pierce ... July 2, 11 a.m.	Pres. McKinley, July 7, 11 a.m.
Pres. Hoover ... July 13, 11 a.m.	Pres. Grant ... July 19, 11 a.m.
Pres. Wilson ... July 20, 11 a.m.	Pres. Jefferson, Aug. 2, 11 a.m.

EUROPE, NEW YORK	MANILA
THE MOST FREQUENT SERVICE	Next Sailings
Pres. Monroe ... June 8, 8 a.m.	Pres. Jefferson, June 1, 6 p.m.
Pres. Van Buren, June 22, 8 a.m.	Pres. Van Buren, June 8, 9 p.m.
Pres. Garfield ... July 6, 8 a.m.	Pres. Monroe, June 8, 8 a.m.
Pres. Polk ... July 20, 8 a.m.	Pres. Jackson, June 15, 8 p.m.
Pres. Adams ... Aug. 2, 8 a.m.	Pres. Van Buren, June 22, 8 a.m.

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THE Steamship "BENFUE"

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the basements and/or extra basements Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 31st May, 1935, will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 14th June, 1935, or they will not be recognized.  
To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesday and Friday between the hours of 10 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period.  
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All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 17th June, 1935, or they will not be recognized.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected.  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agents

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Ltd. Agents. Hong Kong, 23rd May, 1935. [3554]

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Goods not cleared within 7 days including date of arrival, will be subject to rent.

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Damaged Packages will be examined by the company's Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Friday, 31st May,



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HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HUIH NG	"KINQUAN"	On 31st May, 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI		
DAIREN & NEWORANG	"TEIN"	On 1st June, 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"ZHUHUN"	On 2nd June, 3 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"HUPEH"	On 2nd June, 3 p.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAI-KAI		
SWATOW & TIENTSIN	"KALGAN"	On 3rd June, 3 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANHUI"	On 4th June, 3 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"KAYING"	On 4th June, 3 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"SOOCHOW"	On 5th June, 3 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"TS'AN"	On 5th June, 3 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"YUEN"	On 6th June, 3 a.m.
HOHOW & SHANGHAI	"MUINAM"	On 7th June, 3 p.m.
HOHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KUEICHOW"	On 7th June, 3 a.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SHANTUNG"	On 8th June, 3 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"HOIKOW"	On 9th June, 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKANG"	On 10th June, 3 p.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAI-KAI		
CHIEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUNAN"	On 14th June, 3 p.m.

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S.S. "GEISTAN" on SUNDAY, 3rd JUNE.

Arrivals and Departures from the Company's Wharf (Near Rattle Pier) BY DOCK TRUCKS will be issued from HONGKONG to FOOCHOW (Rattle Pier) and return by the same steamer at the reduced rate of \$10.00 including meals while the steamer is at the Rattle Pier for Round Voyage 3 Days.

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Fukien Maru, O.S.K., May 30.	Tsushima, B. & S., June 2.
Haitan, Douglas, May 31.	Hopang, Jardine's, June 3.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., June 2.	
Anhui, B. & S., June 4.	
Tainan, B. & S., June 5.	
Hai Yang, Douglas, June 7.	
Suisan, Jardine's, June 7.	
Hokan Maru, O.S.K., June 9.	
Tsushima, J.C.J. Line, June 9.	
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## EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA

Bahia.

Peter Maersk, Jensen's, June 3.

President Taft, Dollar's, June 4.

Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., June 10.

President Coolidge, Dollar's, June 15.

Tai Yang, Dollar's, June 15.

Hokkai Maru, O.S.K., June 22.

Niel Maersk, Jensen's, June 27.

Baltimore.

Peter Maersk, Jensen's, June 3.

Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., June 10.

President Coolidge, Dollar's, June 15.

Tai Yang, Dollar's, June 15.

Hokkai Maru, O.S.K., June 22.

Niel Maersk, Jensen's, June 27.

Boston and New York.

Peter Maersk, Jensen's, June 3.

Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., June 10.

President Coolidge, Dollar's, June 15.

Tai Yang, Dollar's, June 15.

Hokkai Maru, O.S.K., June 22.

Niel Maersk, Jensen's, June 27.

San Francisco.

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San Francisco.

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Hokkai Maru, O.S.K., June 22.

Niel Maersk, Jensen's, June 27.

San Francisco.

## Brisbane

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 1.

Sydney Maru, O.S.K., June 6.

Changte, B. & S., June 13.

Cairns.

Changte, B. & S., June 13.

Cebu.

Illinois, States Co., June 4.

Silverwalnut, Furness, June 23.

Davao.

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Halibut.

Kingman, B. & S., May 31.

Kueichow, B. & S., June 7.

Hobart.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S.



# CANADIAN PACIFIC

TO VANCOUVER

Steamer	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Emp. of Asia	May 31	June 2	June 4	June 6	June 8	June 10	June 12	June 14
Emp. of Canada	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20	June 22	June 24	June 26	June 28
Emp. of Russia	June 28	June 30	July 2	July 4	July 6	July 8	July 10	July 12
Emp. of Japan	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18	July 20	July 22	July 24	July 26
Emp. of Asia	July 26	July 28	July 30	Aug. 1	Aug. 3	Aug. 5	Aug. 7	Aug. 9
Emp. of Canada	Aug. 9	Aug. 11	Aug. 13	Aug. 15	Aug. 17	Aug. 19	Aug. 21	Aug. 23



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VIA SHANGHAI AND JAPAN AT

NOON, FRIDAY, MAY 31st

TO MANILA

EMPRESS OF CANADA	June 7th.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA	June 20th.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN	July 5th.
EMPRESS OF ASIA	July 18th.

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TATSUTA MARU ... Tuesday, 18th June at 10 a.m.  
ASAMA MARU ... Wednesday, 3rd July

SEATTLE &amp; VANCOUVER.

HEIAN MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Tuesday, 25th June  
HIKAWA MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 15th July

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM

SUWA MARU ... Saturday, 8th June  
FUSUMI MARU ... Saturday, 22nd June  
HAKOZAKI MARU ... Saturday, 6th July

SYDNEY &amp; MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 29th June  
KAMO MARU ... Saturday, 27th July

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

GENOA MARU ... Thursday, 30th May  
ANYO MARU ... Tuesday, 11th June  
TOYAMA MARU ... Friday, 28th June

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

BOKUYO MARU ... Wednesday, 12th June

NEW YORK via Panama.

NAGARA MARU ... Tuesday, 4th June  
NOJIMA MARU ... Thursday, 27th June  
NOTO MARU ... Thursday, 11th July

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus.

Genoa and Valencia.  
DAKAR MARU ... Friday, 14th June

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

HAKODATE MARU ... Friday, 31st May  
CALCUTTA MARU ... Friday, 7th June  
MALACCA MARU ... Saturday, 16th June

SHANGHAI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA.

TERUKUNI MARU ... Wednesday, 5th June  
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## Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

### YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 16,700 TONS;  
THROUGH CARGO  
25,500 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

British	Cargo for	Through
Liangchow, Canton	H. K. Ports	Ports
Kwangtung, Hoilow 2,224	—	119
King Yuan, Swatow 378	—	773
Antiochus, Singapore 300	—	9,350
Seistan, Swatow 40	—	—
Emp. of Asia, Manila 333	—	423
Tai Yuan, Canton	—	120
Malayan Prince, Shanghai 952	—	—
Yunnan, Swatow 996	—	905
Forafic, Saigon 4,500	—	—
Chak Sang, Canton	—	201
Haitan, Swatow 200	—	—
Norwegian, Shanghai	—	4,700
Fingal, Hoilow 2,900	—	4,700
Dutch, Swatow	—	701
Cremer, Tjibadak 1,788	—	2,832
Batavia 1,788	—	3,563
Japanese, Aruchi Maru, Sea Fishing 80	—	—
Senda Maru, Sea Fishing 120	—	—
Sushan Maru, Swatow 1,150	—	2,100
Gehoa Maru, Sakito 600	—	1,933
Fukukun Maru, Canton	—	1,950
Chinese, Canton	—	4,033
Nanning, Canton	—	—
Hai Heng, Swatow 150	—	800
Hai Yuan, Canton 30	—	611
Total	16,741	25,598

### ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Kwangtung (Br.), Hoilow	167
King Yuan (Br.), Swatow	78
Seistan (Br.), Swatow	147
Tai Yuan (Br.), Canton	85
Yunnan (Br.), Swatow	27

### SHIPS IN HARBOUR

#### WHARVES

Kowloon:—Emp. of Asia, Talma, Genoa Maru and Friderun.  
Holt's:—Antiochus.  
China Merchants:—Hai Yuan.  
Hai Heng.  
Douglas Laprak:—Haitan and Seistan.  
Chiu On:—Hydrangea.

#### DOCKS

Kowloon:—Silver Cypress.  
Talkoo:—H.M.S. Olympus, Liangchow, King Lee, Solviken, Klungchow, Newchwang, Kanchow, Kwangchow, Fu An, Marpesa and Chichibu Maru.

#### BUOYS

No. A7—Tyndareus.  
No. A17—Cremer.  
No. B1—Tai Yuan.  
No. B2—Chak Sang.  
No. B4—Taming.  
No. B5—Kaltuna.  
No. B8—Helikon.  
No. B7—Hwah Shun.  
No. B10—Fuo Lee.  
No. B11—Prosper.  
No. B12—Forafic.  
No. B15—Kalgan.  
No. B18—Fingal.  
No. B17—Hellas.  
No. B18—Yunnan.  
No. B20—Sui Yang.  
No. B21—Kwangtung.  
No. B22—Mau Sang.  
No. C2—Yung Chi.

### ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

British	Arr.	Dep.
American	12	2
Norwegian	2	0
Dutch	2	2
Danish	0	1
Japanese	5	2
Chinese	3	1
Total	24	9

### WARSHIPS IN PORT

The following warships were in port yesterday:—

South Wall—Decoy and Defender.
East Wall—Barnet, Otis and Phoenix.
North Arm—Medway & S.Ms.
West Wall Dock—Diana.
In Dock—Grimsby, Tula, Aldgate and Watergate.
Talkoo Dock—Suffolk, Olympus.
Kowloon Dock—Parthian.
Cosmopolitan Dock—Perseus.
No. 12 Bury—Dainty.

#### FOREIGN

U. S. S. Tulsa  
Japanese gunboat—Saga and Hama.

Chak Sang (Br.), Canton	25
Haitan (Br.), Swatow	245
Fingal (Nor.), Hoilow	12
Cremer (Dut.), Swatow	972
Tjibadak (Dut.), Batavia	375
Sushan Maru (Jap.), Swatow	83
Hai Yuan (Ch.), Canton	135
Total	2,329

### PRINCE LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

NEW YORK AND LOS ANGELES

THE Motor Vessel "MALAYAN PRINCE"

having arrived from the above Ports on 26th instant, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on Tuesday, 4th June, at 10 A.M.  
All Claims must be presented within 15 days of the Vessel's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.  
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 5th June, will be subject to Rent.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th June, will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underigned on or before the 18th June, or they will not be recognized.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected.

BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE

Agents. [3564]

### SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The list of ships expected to be in wireless communication by the Government Radio Office with Hong Kong yesterday:—

Jutlandia, Denmark, Pelan.
Conte Verde, General Lee, Pres.
Taft, Pres. Grant, Mayon, Arayat.
Iris, Da. Shing, Yang Tse.
Dionysios, Stathatos, Cremer.
Trave, Hydrangea, Schlesien.
Hahun Maru, Yuen Sang.

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"ALIPPORE"	8,000	1st June	Straits, Colombo & Bombay.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	15th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"SOMALI"	7,000	22nd June	Mars, Havre, L'don, H'br, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"MANTUA"	11,000	28th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"CARHAGE"	14,500	13th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"BANGALORE"	8,000	20th July	Bombay, Mars, L'don, Havre, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	27th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"KARAI-I-HIND"	11,000	10th Aug.	Bombay, Mars, Havre, L'don, H'br, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"BHUTAN"	8,000	17th Aug.	Marseilles and London.
"RANCHI"	17,000	24th Aug.	Bombay, Mars, L'don, Havre, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"BEHAR"	7,000	31st Aug.	Bombay, Mars, Havre, L'don, H'br, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"NALDERA"	18,000	7th Sept.	Bombay, Mars, L'don, Havre, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"SOUDAN"	7,000	14th Sept.	Mars, Havre, L'don, H'br, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"BANGPURA"	17,000	31st Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	5th Oct.	Bombay, Mars, L'don, Havre, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"BURDWAN"	8,000	12th Oct.	Bombay, Mars, L'don, Havre, R'dm, A'werp & Hull
"CHITRAL"	15,000	19th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.

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"SANTHA"	8,000	7th June	Singapore, Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta
"TALWA"	10,000	21st June	
"SIRDHANA"	8,000	5th July	
"TAKADA"	7,000	19th July	
"TILAWA"	10,000	2nd Aug.	

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"TANDA"	7,000	1st June	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
"NANKIN"	7,000	5th July	
"NELLORE"	7,000	2nd Aug.	

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The P. & O. Branch Service of Steamers to London via Suez.  
The New Zealand Shipping Co.'s Steamers for Southampton and London via Panama Canal.

### SAILING TO SHANGHAI AND JAPAN

"NANKIN"	7,000	8th June	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka, & Y'ham.
"BANGALORE"	6,000	11th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'ham.
"CARHAGE"	14,500	13th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"SIRDHANA"	8,000	13th June	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	27th June	Shai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TAKADA"	7,000	27th June	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"NELLORE"	7,000	4th July	Shai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"BHUTAN"	8,000	10th July	Shai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TILAWA"	10,000	11th July	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"KARAI-I-HIND"	11,000	11th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BEHAR"	8,000	24th July	do.
"SANTHA"	8,000	25th July	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"RANCHI"	17,000	25th July	Shai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TANDA"	7,000	3rd Aug.	Shai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'ham.
"SOUDAN"	7,000	8th Aug.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"NALDERA"	18,000	8th Aug.	Shai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TATMA"	10,000	8th Aug.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"KAMPURA"	17,000	23rd Aug.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"SIRDHANA"	8,000	25th Aug.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"NANKIN"	7,000	4th Sept.	Shai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'ham.



